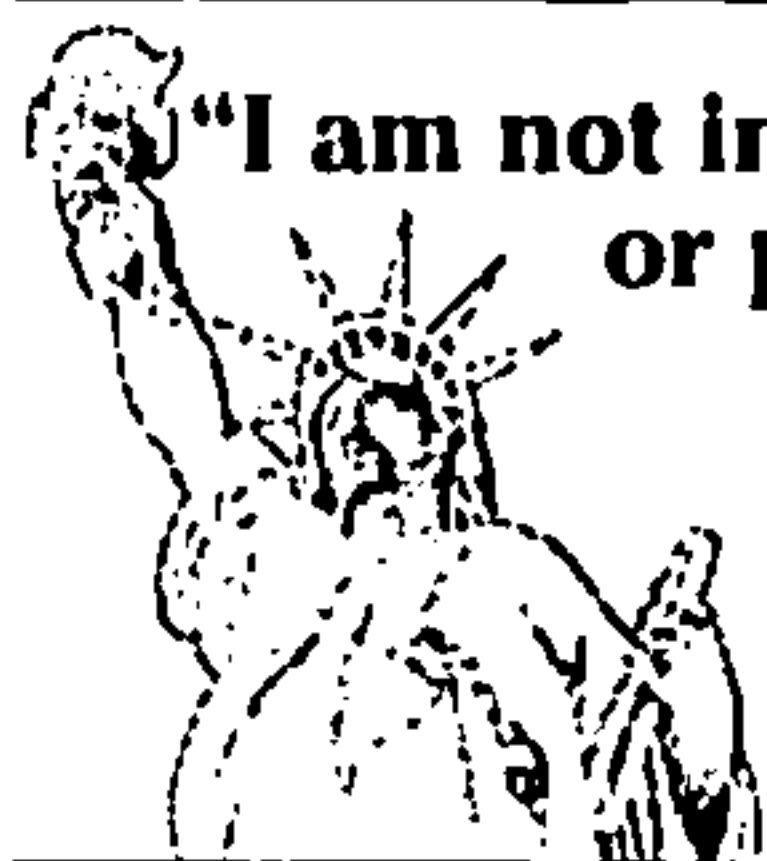


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School bus crash kills Antioch woman, 62

By BRENDA BALIN-BEITSCHER and JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporters

Valerie J. Trzebny, 62, of Antioch was killed on Dec. 12 at about 12:30 p.m. when her 2001 Chevy Blazer collided head-on with a Lake Villa C.C. District 41 school bus on Rte. 176 in unincorporated Merengo.

For unknown reasons, Trzebny, headed westbound, drove over the center line into the eastbound lane. She was pronounced dead at the scene, when McHenry County Sheriff's police and the Merengo Fire and Rescue Department arrived at 12:33 p.m.

School bus driver Vern H. Plotz, 75, also of Antioch, was taken to Woodstock Centegra Hospital, where he was treated for a cut on his leg and released. When he returned to work on Dec. 14, he complained of feeling unwell, and was taken to Victory Hospital in Waukegan for observation.

Neither vehicle had passengers on board.

The bus was returning to Lake Villa for its regular afternoon run after dropping off about 80 students for an overnight field trip at the Atwood Homestead Forest Preserve, east of Rockford. The trip is an annual event, and is part of the school's curriculum.

Curt Bradshaw, a deputy coroner with the McHenry County coroner's office, confirmed that Trzebny died of injuries caused by the accident and not before.

He said she had cancer and was being treated with chemotherapy. She also had a heart valve problem.

Bradshaw added, "We didn't find anything at autopsy that indicates there was any episode that caused the accident."

Bradshaw said there is a possibility that Trzebny momentarily lost consciousness due to the defective heart valve, but there would be no way to confirm that since she didn't live through the accident.

"There were no witnesses stating that they saw her doing anything other than driving," he said. "No saw her slumped over the steering wheel or anything else that looked unusual."

Robert Locke, also with the coroner's office, said there would likely be an inquest in four to six weeks.

The bus was impounded by the McHenry County Sheriff's office for investigation. District 41 Superintendent Michael Anderson characterized the bus as "totaled" but said the exact extent of the damage would not be known until insurance appraisals are made.

There was no interruption in regular school bus service.

Grade School hip-hops

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

Students of the Antioch Upper Grade School (AUGS) were treated to a special treat as they rounded out their two and one-half week dance unit as part of their physical education.

Elijah Gibson, an apprentice with Gus Giordano Jazz Dance Chicago, came to the school to teach the students some basic hip-hop moves.

"I asked him to come in and do this for us," said physical education instructor Beth Hook. "I worked on him for about a month. This isn't the type of thing he normally does."

Hook came to know Gibson as her daughter takes dance classes with him at the Dance Connection in Grayslake.

According to Hook, the first period students begged to be able to stay for the second period and accounted for the crowded gymnasium.

At one point, Gibson had students pull their favorite teachers up on stage to show off the moves they had learned. By a show of applause, students let the teachers know they all did a great job.



Antioch Upper Grade School eighth-graders Holly Davidson and Jamie Nagel learn to hip-hop dance from Elijah Gibson, a dancer and teacher with the Gus Giordano Jazz Dance company in Chicago.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Toast the host

Local businesses offer great variety of host gifts, stocking stuffers

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

Often it's the little presents like hostess gifts, secret Santa items for work and stocking stuffers that take the longest find, and are the most agonizing to buy. It's recognized that these gifts should be smaller in nature, but everyone wants to give a decent gift no matter what the occasion.

Downtown Antioch has several stores with perfect gift items to fulfill these last minute needs.

Waterford Lodge has a variety of handmade and natural soaps and candles. Owner Karen Zimmerman said, "I make about 70 percent of the products I sell, though most of the things I bring in (from outside vendors) are handmade, too."

There are beautiful holiday-theme glycerin soaps that are clear with colorful seasonal soap shapes showing through the glycerin soap.

There are items for men as well as women with a shaving soap, mug and brush combinations and other less feminine soaps and washes. Zimmerman is happy to make up gift baskets in any price range, and with specific products chosen especially for the recipient.

If a sweet treat will fit the bill better, Something Sweet is the place to shop.

The shop's specialty is its variety of handmade fudge. Other big sellers for the holiday season include hand-decorated truffles and mint meltaways.

There are many small gift bags of candy for under \$1, and of course there are bags of "coal" for those who have been a little naughty.

Part-timer Rebekah Young said, "We have individually wrapped



J.J. Blinkers manager Jennifer Gallimore shows off some Christmas gift favorites.—Photo by Julie Murphy

chocolate covered pretzels with sprinkles that make a great gift. We also do have some Christmas ornaments.

J.J. Blinkers on Main St. may be the quirkiest of Antioch's quaint shops with fun and funny gag gifts, as well as cute collectibles and games.

One of the store's managers, Jennifer Gallimore, said flatulence is in for this holiday season with some of the biggest sellers being the electronic whoopee cushion, the fart wall clock (farts every hour and has six surprise sounds) and fart putty reputed to be a great stocking stuffer.

For those who would rather have a more rewarding surprise than a bodily function sound, there are cash candles that have real money inside. "As you burn the candle down, the money is wrapped in foil," said Gallimore. "You take the foil out to get the money. Some of the candles have \$100 bills inside."

"Wizard stuff is very big this year, and golf and fishing stuff always goes over well," said Gallimore.

Make quick work of last minute holiday shopping to ward off the bah humbugs. Unique gifts are as easy to find as Main St.

New Chamber members announced

Chamber Christmas breakfast builds holiday spirit

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

Various Antioch department heads acted as the chefs for the annual Chamber Christmas breakfast that provided tasty informational morsels in addition to the eggs and toast.

The Chamber of Commerce and Industry announced that Michael Cascone of Keller Williams Realty, Kurt Duehr of State Bank of the Lakes and Jennifer Banks Evans of Family Time are the newest members serving on the Chamber board. The official installation dinner

will be held at Twin Oaks Country Inn in Wilmet, Wis. Nationally renowned comic Paul Frizbie will provide some of the entertainment along with a tableside magician.

Executive director Barbara Porch also announced that the February expo has been renamed the Million-Dollar Expo. "We decided to change the name because the first 1,000 people, over the age of 18 years old, who attend get a lottery ticket," she said. "Bill Ahlers (Chamber board member and business manager of Antioch Community High School) gave us the first \$1 million bill."

Community development director Glenda Sorensen said of business in Antioch, "Things are moving right along, and there's lots of interest in our downtown."

She added, "There's a possibility there will be a Krispy Kreme in Antioch, but until it's there, it's just talk."

Porch and Sorensen thanked assistant community development director Billie Horton set up the decorations and created the ambiance.

The morning ended with Sorensen playing the piano and those in attendance singing "Let It Snow."

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Daddy/daughter dance tickets on sale to residents

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

For about a dozen years, the daddy/daughter dance has been a February tradition in Antioch. Tickets will be on sale to residents from Jan. 2-23.

The dance is organized by the Antioch parks dept. Director Laurie Stahl said, "This is our most popular event, and tickets sell quickly. In the past, some people were disappointed because tickets are not for sale at the door."

The event is to take place on Feb. 9 from 7-9 p.m., and is held at the Antioch Upper Grade School. The doors will not open until 6:45 p.m.

The cost is \$10 per couple for residents and \$5 for an additional daughter attending.

The price of admission includes ice cream sundaes, punch, a souvenir picture and corsages for the girls.

"This is really a fun dance," said Stahl. "Everyone has a good time."

Tickets become available to non-residents on Jan. 24. The cost is \$20 per couple, but the price for an additional daughter remains \$5.

"The last day to buy tickets is Feb. 4," said Stahl. "That is if we still have tickets by then."

Tickets will be available at the parks office located at 806 Holbek St. early in January. The phone number is 395-2160.

Santa's Castle packs in kids

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

Santa's Castle will only be open for a couple of more days, until Dec. 23.

At the Christmas breakfast meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry, executive director Barbara Porch said the castle had attracted 1,400 visitors by Dec. 10. She said it was possible that the numbers could be record-breaking given the number of days left before Santa has to return to the North Pole in order to make it back in time to deliver presents on Christmas.

She added, "The helpers have taken 500 photos of children with Santa."

Weekday hours are from 5:30-8 p.m. and weekend hours are from 1-4 p.m.

Pictures with Santa are available for a nominal fee.

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Police arrest lewd library patron

Library patron reported 32-year-old's lewd conduct to police

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

Antioch police arrested Matthew Williams, 32, of Antioch, on Dec. 11 for public indecency and disorderly conduct after he exposed himself in a lewd manner at the Antioch Public Library.

The woman who witnessed Williams' display alerted police, who then arrested him at a local hotel.

"It happened at about 1 p.m.," said Detective Sgt. Craig Somerville. "Fortunately, no kids were present."

According to Somerville, library officials had a good idea where to find Williams as he was a somewhat regular visitor to the library and had

a library card with the hotel's address listed as his.

"They (the library) no longer want him on the premises," said Somerville. "He will be arrested for trespassing if he goes there again."

Both of the charges made against Williams are class A misdemeanors that can carry a sentence of up to one year in jail. Williams' court date has been set for Jan. 11.

Somerville added, "I greatly appreciate the cooperation of a citizen willing to get involved and report suspicious behavior to the police. This kind of activity cannot be tolerated, and it requires the involvement of the public working together with the police."



Family gathering

Valerie Brezinski, 11, of Ingleside plays the role of Mary with Max O'Connell of Bristol, Wis. as Joseph and 2-week-old Logan Cramer as Baby Jesus during the play "The Night Before Christmas Caper" at St. Peter's Church in Antioch.—Photo by Candace H. Johnson



Holiday melodies

Steve Porch directs the Lakes Area Community Band through a Family Christmas Concert in Antioch Community High School's auditorium.—Photo by David Krueger

Messiah brings 'good tidings of great joy'

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

The Antioch Community Chorus promises to bring "good tidings of great joy" when it presents "The Messiah" by Georg Frederick Handel at the sanctuary of St. Peter Catholic Church located at 557 Lake St. in Antioch on Dec. 23 at 7:30 p.m.

"This performance is the joy of the Christmas season," said Mabel Lou Weber who is on the Festival Arts of Antioch committee that sponsors the chorus. "It is always very moving, and very inspirational."

This year Ralph Brooke of Antioch will direct the concert. Soloists include soprano Jennifer

Layman of Waukegan, contralto Cynthia Mace of Lake Forest, tenor Brent Billock of Chicago, and bass Peter Swenson of Chicago. Pianist Chris Kusher of Grayslake, and the Tim Montalvo string ensemble will accompany the chorus.

According to Weber, this program has been done since 1976, and will last about 45 minutes. As with all performances of the Antioch Community Choir, admission is free and open to anyone. Those needing more information should call 395-1333.

The Festival Arts of Antioch has presented cultural and entertaining performances to the community for many years. In addition to the help it offers the Antioch Community

Chorus, it also helps to support the Lakes Area Community Band. Festival Arts is in turn supported by area businesses and individuals.

"We want to continue to be able to provide programs like this to the community for free," said Weber. "It cannot be done without the cooperation of everyone in the community. We really appreciate what the local churches have done for us."

For more information about Festival Arts of Antioch, contact Mabel Lou Weber at 265-3152.

Many churches offer candlelight services

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

A number of churches are holding special evening services and candlelight services on Christmas Eve, and a few will have services on Christmas day.

The Antioch Evangelical Free Church will have a Christmas Eve service at 7 p.m. The church is located at 750 Highview Ave.

The Chain O'Lakes Community Bible Church, located at 23201 W. Grass Lake Rd. will have 7 p.m. candlelight services. "We'll have beautiful music," said Patti Stagg of the church. "It's a lovely, lovely service."

St. Peter's Catholic Church will have three full masses plus Christmas carols on Christmas Eve and four full masses on Christmas morning.

On Christmas Eve, the 5:30 and 10:15 p.m. masses will be held in the church, while the 5:45 p.m. mass will be held in the basement. "There's a full mass in the basement just like in the church," said Amy Weiler. "This was people

don't have to stand in the aisles at the 5:30 p.m. mass."

Christmas carols will be at 9:15 p.m.

All of the services on Christmas day will be in the church, and will be held at 6:30, 8, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.

St. Peter's Catholic Church is located on Lake St. near the Jewel.

Pastor Roger Black of St. Stephen Lutheran said, "We are having what I call a family service with lovely music and a children's story at 7:30 p.m. There's another traditional candlelight and communion service at 11 p.m. with 20 minutes of choral preludes at 10:40 p.m."

Additionally, there will be a 9:30 a.m. service on Christmas day.

St. Stephen Lutheran Church is located at 155 Hillside Ave.

The United Methodist Church of Antioch, located at 848 Main St., will have a family service on 5 p.m. on Christmas Eve, as well as traditional candlelight services with Holy Communion at 8 and 11 p.m. Nursery care will be available at the 5 and 8 p.m. services.

Gift certificates make shopping easy and support local economy

Take the burden out of holiday shopping by buying Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry gift certificates.

According to Barbara Porch, director of the Chamber, the gift certificates can be used the same as cash at 300 businesses throughout the Chamber's membership. Participating members will display the Chamber's diamond symbol.

"This is our second year with the Chamber gift certificate program," said Porch. "It works out well because this is really a one size fits all gift."

The Chamber boasts the high level of service and personal attention given at the village's quaint shops and restaurants.

Gift certificates are available at a number of locations including the Chamber office, Village Hall, Bank One, First National Bank-Employee Owned, State Bank of the Lakes, Great Northern Bank



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Some of the uses for the gift certificates are as follows: apparel, boating, candles, sporting goods, candy, flowers, hardware, dining, insurance, groceries, bikes, model planes, dolls, jewelry, banking, china, fitness, automotive, ice cream, books, beauty, art, golf, antiques, furnishings, collectibles, pet supplies, sweaters, bedding, parties, plumbing, Beanie babies, crafts, fishing, medical, cigars, liquor, suits, hotel, home décor, electrical, travel, duct work, coffees, soaps, beach wear and pizza.

For more information about these gift certificates, call the

Chamber office at 395-2233.

On Dec. 31, Big Apple Bagels is having a special sale on bagels for community members and senior citizens.

All regular \$.65 bagels will be \$.35 for the day.

"We wanted to offer something for the community," said owner Kathy Brooks.

The sale does not include the specialty BAB's choice bagels or the cheddar twist bagels.

Brooks said that bagels are baked fresh every two hours, and in keeping with that fresh theme, she'll be offering new specials in January that will include 50 percent off coffee and lunch value meals.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Julie Murphy at 223-8161, ext. 600 or e-mail, moorfie@ix.netcom.com

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Palombi Middle School students earn honors

The following students at Palombi Middle School have been named to the honor roll for the first trimester.

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Sunday Evening 7pm. Robert Williams, Pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist & Reading Rm. Rte 173 and
Harden, Antioch, Phone (847) 395-1196. Sunday School, Sunday
Church Service 10:30am, Wednesday, 7:30pm.

Beautiful Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church, 554 Parkway,
Antioch, Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, Pastor Darold Gruen,
Phone (847) 265-2450. Sunday Worship at 9am, Sunday School, High
School & Adult Bible Classes 10:30am.

Heritage Lutheran Church, Lindenhurst Civic Center, 1949 Old Elm
Rd., Lindenhurst, (847) 356-1766. Sunday service 10:00 am, Sunday
School & Bible Class 9:00 am. (summer schedule - 9:00 am Sunday)
Rev. Mark W. Anderson, Pastor.

St. Ignatius Episcopal, 977 Main St. Phone (847) 395-0652. Low Mass
7:30am, High Mass 9:30am Sunday School & Nursery 9:30am.
Rev. Vincent Edholm, Pastor.

Antioch Evangelical Free Church, 750 Highway Dr. Phone (847) 395-
4117. Sunday Worship 8:15, 9:30 & 11:00am, Sunday School for all
ages, infant thru adult, 9:30am. Children's Church 11am. Awana, Youth,
Women's Ministries, Men's Ministries, Growth Groups, Seniors. Senior
Pastor David M. Groleau.

St. Stephen Lutheran Church (ELCA), 1155 Hillside Ave. Phone (847)
395-3359. Sunday Worship, 8:00, 9:30, 10:45am. Rev. Roger Black,
Pastor. Saturday Worship Service 5:00pm

Christian Life Fellowship Assemblies of God Church, 41625 Deep
Lake Rd., Antioch, Phone (847) 395-8572. Sunday School (all ages)
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Sunday Evening Worship 6:30pm, Wednesday Worship & Children's
Program 7am, Tues. Women's Fellowship & Bible Study 9-11:30am.
Jeff Brussay, Pastor.

Faith Evangelical Lutheran, 1275 Main St., Phone
(847) 395-1600. Sunday Worship 8 & 10:30am, Sunday School
9:25am, Sat. 7pm., Rev. Gregory Hermanson, Pastor, Christian
Day School (847) 395-1664.

Millburn Congregational United Church of Christ, Grass Lake
Rd. at Rte. 45. Phone (847) 356-5237. Sunday Service 10am.
Children's Program 10am. Rev. Paul R. Meltzer, Pastor.

Antioch United Methodist Church, 848 Main St. Phone (847) 395-
1259. Rev. Gary L. Curl, Pastor. Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.
Worship/Children's Church. 9:15 a.m. Adult Discussion Group/Chil-
dren's activity. Nursery care for children through 3 years of age from
8:00 to 11:30 a.m. Coffee and conversation after each service.

St. Peter's Church, 557 W. Lake St., Antioch, Phone (847) 395-
0274. Masses weekdays, 7:30am; Sunday 6:30, 8, 9:30, 11:30am
& Saturday 5:30pm. Rev. Father Ronald H. Anglim, Pastor.

Chain of Lakes Community Bible Church, 23201 W. Grass Lake
Rd., Antioch, Phone (847) 838-0103. Sunday Worship 8:15 and 11:00.
Sunday School 9:45. Children's Church 11:00. Youth, Women's, Awana
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Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod), 25100 W.
Grand Ave. (Rte. 59 & 132), Lake Villa, (847) 356-5158. Sunday
Worship 8:15 & 10:45am; Sunday School (3 and up) and Bible
Study 9:30am. Christian Preschool. Rev. John Zellmer, Pastor.

Lighthouse Church of Antioch
554 Parkway Ave., Antioch, IL (847) 838-0618. Saturday
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DUI

David A. Bauman, 47, of 539 Winter Dr., Walworth, Wis. was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol on Dec. 14 at 6:21 p.m. at the intersection of routes 173 and 83.

An officer was dispatched to the area for a possible DUI. The officer observed the vehicle in question cross the fog line on three separate occasions.

Bauman had his driver's license and proof of insurance out and ready when the officer approached his vehicle. The officer detected the strong odor of alcoholic beverage on his breath at this time.

As Bauman exited his vehicle for field sobriety testing, he "stumbled toward the roadway" and the officer caught him by the arm. Bauman failed all of the tests requested of him.

He was arrested and transported to the Antioch Police Dept. and issued citations for improper lane usage and DUI. Bauman agreed to chemical testing with the result of .10 blood alcohol concentration.

Bauman was put through booking procedures and issued an additional citation for DUI with a blood alcohol concentration over .08. He was released on \$300 cash bond pending his Jan. 15 court date.

No valid driver's license

John A. Bunda, Jr., 31, of 21601 Pine St., Lake Villa, was arrested for driving with no valid driver's license on Dec. 16 at 8:17 a.m. on Lake St. west of Toft St.

Police locked Bunda's vehicle traveling 32 mph in a posted 20-mph zone. His identifiers were checked through LEADS and returned with information that he had no valid driver's license.

Bunda was arrested and transported to

the Antioch Police Dept. where he was put through booking procedures and issued citations for speeding, no valid driver's license and operating an uninsured vehicle.

He was released on personal recognizance pending his Jan. 23 court date.

Pedro Avila, 26, of 25385 Rte. 173, Antioch, was arrested on Dec. 16 at 2:05 a.m. for driving with no valid driver's license on Rte. 173 west of Tiffany Rd.

Police observed Avila's vehicle cross the fog line. Avila told police he had neither a driver's license nor proof of insurance. His identifiers were checked through LEADS/NCIC and came back that he had no record on file.

He was arrested and transported to the Antioch Police Dept. where he was put through booking procedures and issued citations for improper lane usage, operating an uninsured vehicle, no valid driver's license and failing to secure new registration.

He was released on \$200 cash bond pending his Jan. 23 court date.

Suspended driver's license

Rebecca Sheldon, 22, of 404 Donin, Antioch, was arrested on Dec. 14 at 7:05 a.m. at the intersection of Donin and Joren for driving while suspended.

Police observed Sheldon make a left-hand turn without stopping at the stop sign at that intersection. The officer ran Sheldon's license and registration through LEADS/NCIC with both coming back suspended.

She was arrested and transported to the Antioch Police Dept. where she was issued citations for disobeying a stop sign, driving while suspended, driving an uninsured vehicle and for the operation of a vehicle with suspended registration.

Sheldon was released on personal recognizance pending her Jan. 23 court date.



Christmas is for kids

Three-year-old Peter Christie makes a craft with the help of Laura Schulz during the Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church Christmas is for Kids program in Antioch.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Students 'make a difference'

For at least once a month for the past six years, the Antioch Community High School has been honoring students who are "making a difference through academics, sports or other leadership abilities."

"We haven't intentionally been keeping this a secret," said Principal James Love. "It just hadn't really occurred to us to get the word."

Those awarded are treated to a continental breakfast before school. "We usually do this on the second Thursday of the month," Love said.

He nominated Benjamin Korom, Sarah Stampfl, Jessica Halston and Karly Guldán.

"We have lots of talented young people who do lots of wonderful things," said Love. "An example of this is the three girls I nominated. They organized a coat drive, talked to the United Way and the Student Council and then coordinated with Keller-Williams who

was also having a coat drive so they wouldn't be competing against them."

Love said the result was an increase in the number of coats collected so that there were not only coats for the United Way, but also coats to be donated to St. Peter Church for the needy.

Athletic director Steve Schoenfelder nominated Joshua Bonner, Angelica Simonini, Courtney Ksioszk, Holly Clarke, Andrew Curto and Patrick Hilbert.

Sharon Peterson of the science department nominated Joseph Dziki, Christina Pondell, Katherine Reynolds, Cassandra Turzy, Marta Baginska, Jeffrey Danna, Lane DeYoung and Ashley Slazes.

Lisa May, also of the science department, nominated Michael Wheeler.

The student council, in turn, nominated science teacher Jim McKay.

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Members of the Antioch Community High School choir perform during the school's Stand for Freedom concert.—Photo by David Krueger

Village of Antioch board meetings changed for 2002

The Village Board of Directors cut regular scheduled meetings in half

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

The meeting schedule will look different for the board of directors of the Village of Antioch in 2002. The village will hold 12 regular meetings instead of the currently scheduled 24 meetings.

The board voted to rearrange the schedule to allow for sub-committee meetings on the first Monday of the month at 7 p.m., followed by a meeting of the whole at 8 p.m.

After the meeting Mayor Taso Maravelas said, "We're following what the county is doing. This will be much better. The trustees will be more informed in all areas."

Regular meetings of the board of directors will be held on the third Monday of the month

at 7:30 p.m. All meetings will be held in the boardroom.

Trustee Barbara Porch questioned, "Does this mean we can only take action once a month? Aren't there times when we need to take action more than once a month?"

Village attorney Donald Anderson answered, "If you need to hold a second meeting (due to a sensitive ordinance or the like), you can change the meeting of the whole to a regular meeting."

There will be no sub-committee meetings on the first Monday of both July and August as

these meetings have typically been cancelled due to the Fourth of July and summer vacations.

The first September meeting will be held on Sept. 9, pushed back one week because of the Labor Day holiday.

The 2002 calendar is as follows: Jan. 7 and 21, Feb. 4 and 18, March 4 and 18, April 1 and 15, May 6 and 20, June 3 and 17, July 15, Aug. 19, Sept. 9 and 16, Oct. 7 and 21, Nov. 4 and 18 and Dec. 2 and 16.

It was noted that these dates might be cancelled or continued as required. Also, special meetings might be added.

'We're following what the county is doing. This will be much better. The trustees will be more informed in all areas.'

Mayor Taso Maravelas

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SMALL BUSINESS BANKING



Resident makes Who's Who list

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

The fact that everybody who's anybody lives in Antioch is confirmed, in part, by the fact that the National Register's Who's Who in Executives and Professionals has chosen to add resident Jim Dema to the list for 2002.

"I'm very proud," said Dema. "This is quite an accomplishment."

Dema is a terminal fleet manager of the Burlington, Wis.-based FirstFleet, Inc. The company is the sole source truckload carrier for Saint Gobain Containers and services Anhauser Busch and Clausen Pickles among others.

He moved to Antioch about five years ago, and originally came from the Berwyn area. "My father has lived in Trevor, Wis. for about 40 years. I always enjoyed coming through Antioch, and I decided I would settle here," he said.

Tony Russo, of the National Register's Who's Who out of New York, said, "We take information from Dunn and Broadstreet, and then conduct interviews to see who meets our criteria. After that, then we accept the person into the registry."

The intent of the annual publication is to announce those who have reached "a level of recognizable success in their respective field." Each edition is registered at the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C.

In addition to having 26 years of experience in his field, Dema is serving his second term as president of the Warriner Shores Subdivision where he lives with his wife Janet.

Dema has three children: Regina, Jimmy and Cody as well as two grandchildren Jessica and Bailey.

LOCAL DIGEST

Tots need toys

A brand new toy during the holiday can go a long way to brighten the life of a child in need.

To see that this happens, the Antioch VFW Sequoit Post 4551 is accepting toys for the U.S. Marine Reserve "Toys for Tots" program. The toys can be brought to the post located at 75 North Ave. from 9 a.m.-noon on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

"We're happy that we will again be collecting toys again this year for the Toys for Tots program," said Bob Lindblad, junior vice commander of the post.

The toys should be both new and unwrapped. Donations will be accepted through mid-December.

For more information, call 395-5393.

Find Frosty deadline Dec. 22

Hurry, hurry, hurry. The deadline for submissions for the Find Frosty contest is Dec. 22.

For the third year, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry is conducting a "Find Frosty" contest. Families, or individuals, can pick up an entry form between now and Dec. 22, and then spend the day counting the snowmen in the windows of all of the participating stores beginning the first week in December.

The person or family coming closest to finding all of the snowmen will win \$250 in Chamber gift certificates.

Entry forms are available at the Chamber, at participating merchants and in the coloring books distributed at Santa's Castle. There are 27 downtown merchants participating this year.

The one entry finding the correct number of Frosties for each merchant will be the winner. If more than one entry qualifies, a lottery system will be used to determine the winner.

The winner will be announced on Dec. 27. Entries should be dropped off at the Chamber office located at 882 Main St. by Dec. 22. The \$250 awarded in Chamber gift certificates can be used in any of the business belonging to the Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

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NEIGHBORS

Name: Scott Pierce

Home: Antioch

Occupation: Field service engineer for Viasys Corp.

Community involvement: Village trustee, former president of OKPOA

I'm originally from: Denver, Colo.

I graduated from: United States Navy advanced electronics program.

My family consists of: My wife Sheryl and two daughters Courtney and Madison.

My pets are: Three shelties Josh, Sadie and Cody.

What I like best about my town: Everybody volunteers to make this the best small town in America.

The secret to my success: I stay involved, work hard and care about my friends.

I relax by: Reading.

My perfect day in Antioch would be: A nice day with friends followed by fireworks at night.

Last book I read: "The Conrad Hilton Story"

Favorite TV show is: "Andy Griffith"

Favorite band or musician: Mannheim Steamroller

Favorite restaurant: The Squire for breakfast and the Colony House for dinner.

My life's motto is: Remember everything you do affects someone's life.

If I won the lottery, I would: Quit work and volunteer more time around town.

My greatest accomplishment is: My daughters.

I want to be remembered as: Someone who made a difference in people's lives.

People who knew me in high school would say: We never knew.

My pet peeve is: People who don't let go of the past and work toward the future.

Most interesting person I ever met was: My grandfather who showed me the world.

If I had a plane ticket anywhere, I would go: As long as my wife had a ticket too, I would go to Paris and London.

If you have a "Neighbor" that you would like to see profiled in this column, call Lakeland Newspapers at 223-8161.



Calendar

Saturday, December 22

9:30-11 a.m., Singles Breakfast Group for ages 55 plus. Held at In-Laws Restaurant, 720 Rte. 21 in Gurnee. Call Pat at 367-4936 to find out more

10 a.m.-Noon, Page-A-Day Writer's Group meets at Salem Community Library, info. at (414) 843-3517

Thru Dec. 30, The Winter Wonderland Holiday Light Show continues on the grounds of the Cuneo Estate in Vernon Hills. Come with the whole family to drive through this extensive light show. \$5 per car Mon.-Thurs., \$7 Fri.-Sun. Hours are 6-11 p.m. Fri. and Sat., 6-10 p.m. Sun.-Thurs. Enter at Lakeview Parkway, north of Hwy. 60

Sunday, December 23

7:30 p.m., The Antioch Community Chorus presents the Christmas portion of "The Messiah" by Handel at the Sanctuary of St. Peter's Catholic Church, 557 Lake St. in Antioch. The event is sponsored by Festival Arts of Antioch and admission is free. For information, call 395-1333

Monday, December 24

12:45 p.m., Bingo held at The Antioch Senior Center, call 395-7120 for details

Tuesday, December 25

Merry Christmas!

Wednesday, December 26

7-8:30 p.m., A Safe Place/Lake County Crisis offers free support groups in Lake County for women who are victims of physical, emotional or psychological abuse. Meetings in Round Lake, call 249-4450

6 p.m., CPR classes sponsored by The Antioch Rescue Squad and Fire Department, 835 Holbek Dr., \$5/\$15 depending on class needed, payable at time of class, call 395-5511 to find out more

7:30 p.m., Mothers & More meets in Grayslake. The group offers playgroups, mom's nights out and activities. Call Nancy at 223-9668

Thursday, December 27

7:45-8:45 a.m., The Women's Referral Assoc. meets at Grandma V's Pancake House at the intersection of Rte. 45 & 176 in Mundelein. Call Jeanne Silver at 367-1500 or Deneane at 548-5529

8-9 a.m., Network Lake County, a business networking group, meets at In-Laws restaurant in Gurnee, guests invited, for information, call 548-5305

9:30 a.m., Lake County Genealogical Society holds a Round Table discussion group at the Fremont Public Library in Mundelein. Call Joan at 587-5349 or Bobbie at 816-8074

6:30 p.m., The Lake County Mother of Twins and More Club meets at State Bank of the Lakes, 2031 E. Grand Ave. in Lindenhurst. Call 563-3000, ext. 4073 before attending

7:30 p.m., Lakes Region Historical Society meets at the museum, 817 Main St., Antioch, call Robert Lindblad at 395-0899 to get more details

7:30 p.m., Irish American Club meets at State Bank of the Lakes in Antioch, call 395-3942 for details

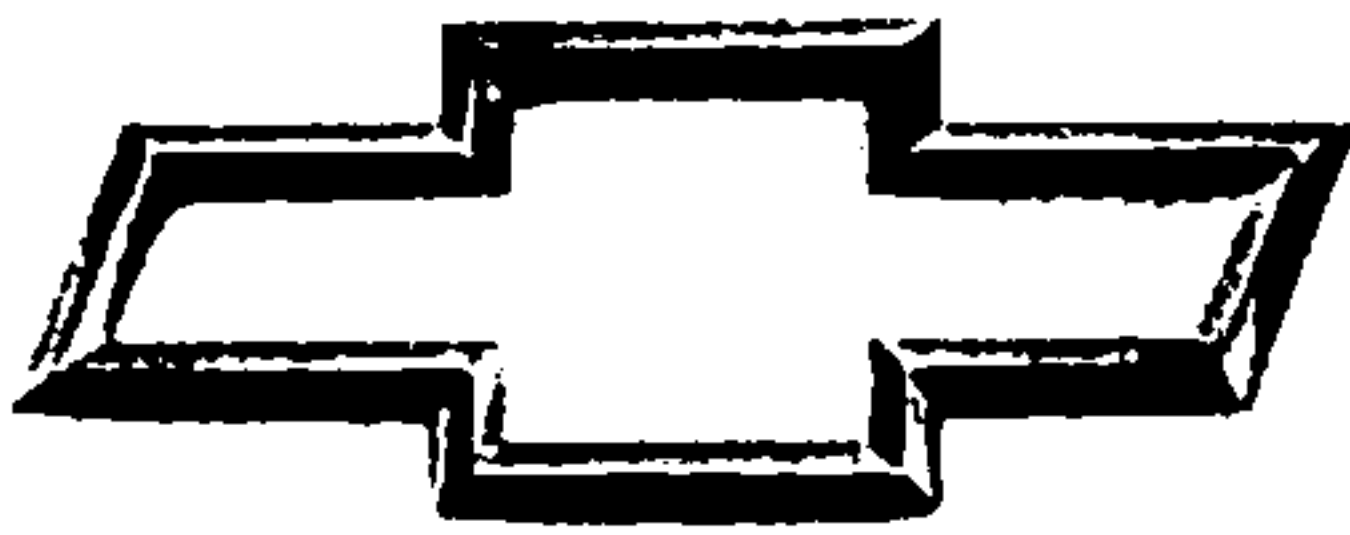
Friday, December 28

7:30-8:30 a.m., The Business Networking Group meets at Centre Lights Cafe next to Condell in Libertyville, call Dan at 803-9904 during business hours

7-9 p.m., Support group for divorced or separated people. Child care provided at no cost. Held at Calvary Christian Center, 134 Monaville Rd. in Lake Villa. Call 356-6181 to find out more

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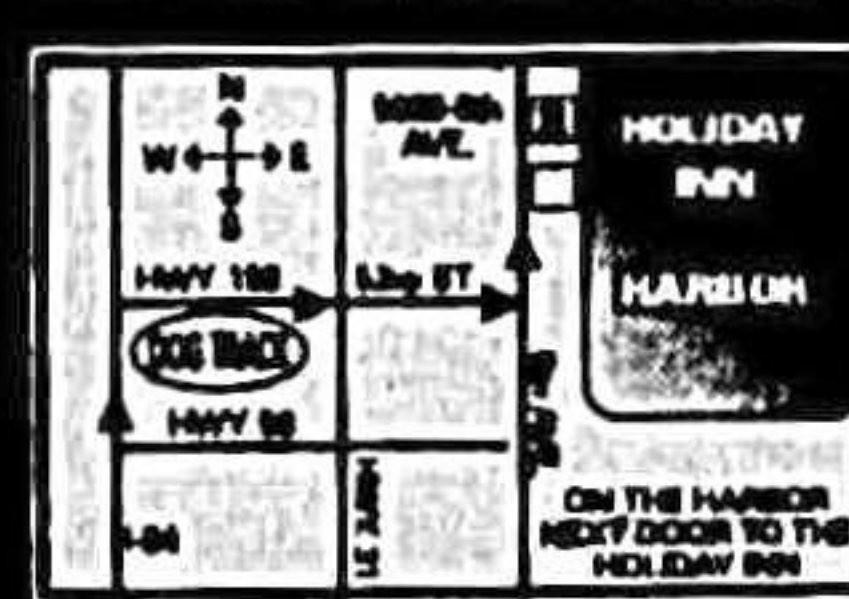
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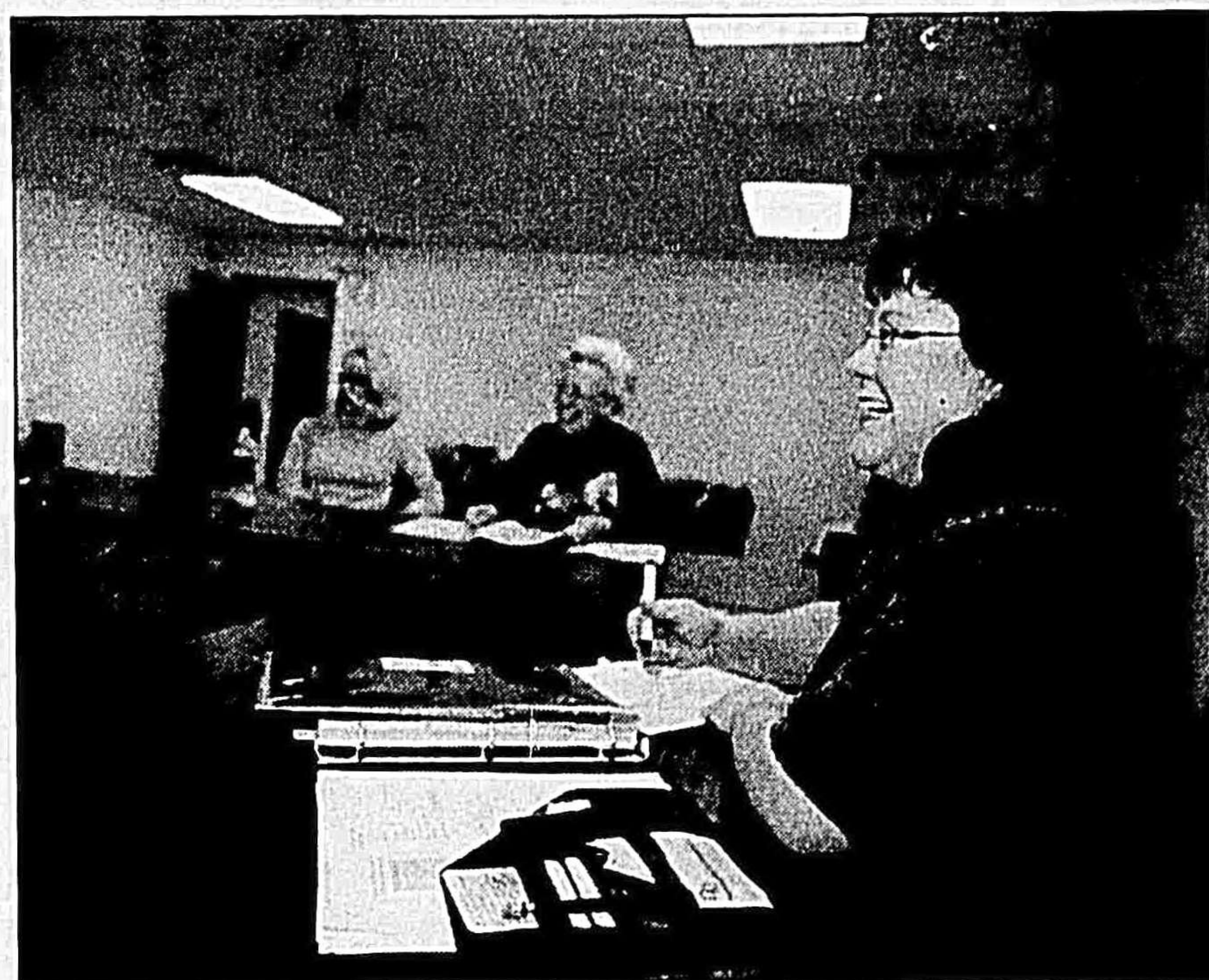
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Holly Taylor Holbert of Depot Manufacturing Inc. attends a meeting with members of a business networking group at the Antioch Community Building.—Photo by David Krueger

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

FNBEO new employees

First National Bank-Employee Owned with locations in Antioch and Gurnee announces the addition of two new employee owners.

Amanda Swet and **Crystal Divis** both of Antioch have joined FNBEO in the role of universal teller. Both Swet and Divis will be working at the Antioch facility.

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Swet



Divis

College grad

Jamie Silarski, a major in biology, daughter of Ted and Kris Silarski of Antioch has graduated from Carroll College.

Academic scholarship

Milwaukee School of Engineering (MSOE) announced that **Ryan Collins** of

Antioch has been awarded an academic scholarship for the 2001-02 school year.

Collins, who has enrolled at MSOE, will major in Mechanical engineering. He is the son of Greg and Cheryl Collins of Antioch and is a graduate of Antioch Community High School.

Class secretary

Jessica Sweeney, a sophomore at Illinois College from Antioch, is serving as secretary of the sophomore class for the 2001-02 academic year.

Sweeney is the daughter of Michael and Darlene Sweeney of Antioch and is a graduate of Antioch High School.

Pi Beta Phi

Brandi Madden of Antioch has been accepted as a member of Pi Beta Phi at Iowa Wesleyan College. Maddis is a freshman majoring in health/physical education.

Millikin University

Lawrence Addition of Antioch has been selected as a member of Millikin University's percussion ensemble II for the 2001-02 season.

Addition, a music perf: Commercial Music major, was chosen by audition. He is a graduate of Antioch Community High School.

Luther College

Karl Black, a Luther College junior from Antioch is taking the junior-level nursing courses associated with the Mayo Foundation Hospitals in Rochester, Minn., during the 2001-02 academic year.

Black is the daughter of Roger and Pamela Black of Antioch. She is majoring in nursing at Luther.

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John Phelps

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Blue, blue, blue were the chants echoed up-and-down Almond Road as the Lady Blue Devils did what seemed like the impossible—at least over the course of the last three years in the North Suburban.

It was Jan. 20, 1998 when North Suburban rival and nemesis Stevenson last fell in conference play at the hands of Warren.

Ladies and gentlemen, it can be done.

We're talking about playing with full intensity and not succumbing to that proverbial spurt by the opposition.

Take your hats off, Warren!

You quieted the giant, if only for a day. For four full quarters.

Patriots head coach Frank Mattucci said it best.

"I know a lot of their players have been waiting for this for nearly four years," he said after Warren posted a 45-36 victory to earn a tie for first atop the NSC. "That was a good Warren team that beat us three years ago and it was a good Warren team that beat us tonight. But we'll be back. We're too good of a team. We don't pout after a loss or feel sorry for ourselves."

The words of a champion. And the Pats have history and the numbers to back that up.

The key in the Warren win was togetherness. Not to pick on anyone, but it's something Wauconda, Antioch and Grayslake's boys hoops teams should feed off of. And the rest of you for that matter. You know who you are. And so do your fans.

"We work on team bonding a lot," said Devils' junior center Amy Peters. "We were a little nervous in the beginning of the game just because we've been trying to beat the Stevenson (tradition) for a long time. But we were hyper all game long and didn't fold whenever they tried to make a run at us."

Peters was silenced in scoring for the first half but chipped in nine points during the second 16 minutes of play. But others were there to pick her up, as Warren never let Stevenson get to within seven points during critical stages of the game—the fourth quarter.

Boxing out, driving to the hole and keeping up the defensive pressure. All played factors in the win. In other words, a total team effort.

"We knew we had to play four strong quarters," said Devils head coach John Stanczykiewicz. "Our success starts with the guards. We also played under control."

Senior forward Tori Bloom, who poured in a game and career-high 22 points, was one who picked up the scoring when Peters and the inside game weren't clicking.

"I personally have wanted to beat Stevenson since sixth-grade," said Bloom, whose team stopped the Patriots mystique and run of 41 consecutive conference wins.

"We weren't scared of them. My teammates trust me. We have a lot of confidence in each other."

The operative phrases here are togetherness, trust, intensity and most of all, not being scared. Some ingredients most of our area teams should definitely feed off of as they head into upcoming holiday tournaments. You know who you are. So do your fans.

Plus, there's nobody that wants to see you knock off some of the best than yours truly.

Congratulations to **Mundelein** varsity head baseball coach **Todd Parola**, who has been named the Class AA Area Coach of the Year. Parola and the Mustangs won a regional title last spring before being eliminated in the sectional finals. Illinois High School Baseball Coaches Association's board of director's gives the award.

Share the spirit! **Great Lakes Adaptive Sports Association** provides recreational and competitive sports opportunities for children and adults who have physical or visual impairments. Volunteers are needed to help these disabled with their annual gift-wrapping fund-raiser at Gurnee Mills Mall on the following dates: Dec. 21 from 7-10 p.m.; and Dec. 24 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. This is a great opportunity to finish up the last minute shopping while helping a worthy cause. For further details, contact GLASA Director Cindy Housner at 283-0908.

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December 21, 2001

Sequoit boys hoops to lock horns with Devils

By JOE PRUSKI
Correspondent

Whether they like it or not, Antioch high school has one rival—Warren. And Friday, Dec. 21 the rivalry will be showcased in Antioch when the two boys' basketball teams meet in a North Suburban Conference Lake Division clash.

"It is a rivalry game," said Antioch head coach Jeff Dresser. "Both teams have played some pretty good games lately. It should be a big game and a lot of fun."

Both teams will go into the contest on losing streaks with Antioch having lost three in a row and Warren four in a row.

"It's a big game for us because we haven't been winning much lately," said Antioch senior center Josh Bonner.

Antioch will go into the game having had a full week of preparation and rest. Both Bonner and senior guard Brian Walsh are coming off injuries, and according to Bonner, he feels his knees are at around 75 percent. A week away from any games will come at a much-needed time for the Sequoits, especially considering Warren's physical style of play. "We're keeping Bonner out of a few of the drills and trying to get Walsh back where he needs to be," said Dresser.

Much of the time this week in practice will be geared towards physical play.

"It's hard to simulate Warren's physical play in practice," said Walsh. "They're a lot like the old Detroit Pistons teams."

Antioch's last game was a 46-27 loss to Stevenson in the Sequoits home opener.

Antioch played a tough first half, allowing Stevenson to muster up only 14 points. The downside to the half was that Stevenson dominated defensively as well, also allowing



Antioch's Josh Bonner skies for a rebound during Antioch's game with Stevenson. The Patriots prevailed in the North Suburban Lake contest, 46-27.—Photo by Steve Young

only 14 points.

"We played a decent first half," said Walsh. "In the second half we absolutely collapsed though."

Antioch scored only 13 points in the second half, while allowing Stevenson to score 32. The loss dropped them to 2-5 on the young season, including 1-2 in the NSC Lake division.

As a team, Antioch shot an anemic 10-for-51 from the field. Walsh led Antioch in scoring with 11 points off the bench in his first game back from injury.

One thing that will be missing in the Warren game will be the presence of 6'3 senior forward Jeff Huebner, who left the club earlier in the week.

"It's a huge loss because someone has to make up for his scoring and rebounding," said Walsh. "It was a shame to see him go." Nonetheless Antioch will have its work cut out for them when Warren comes calling. Following Warren, the Sequoits will host Wauconda 24 hours later.

"We can't wait to start playing again," said Walsh.

Lady Sequoits looking for good results at McHenry

By JOE PRUSKI
Correspondent



Antioch's Jennie Dewar (No. 20) wrestles the ball away from Libertyville defender during North Suburban Lake action Dec. 17. The Lady Sequoits came up a little short, 60-52.—Photo by Steve Young

Despite losing 11 of its first 12 ball games, the Antioch High School varsity girls' basketball team still holds optimism with the second half of the season looming.

The latest setback was a 60-52 loss to visiting Libertyville Dec. 17.

Libertyville jumped out to a 9-0 lead but the host Sequoits stormed back to lead after the first quarter, 19-17.

Both teams were even at halftime 19-19. However, a poor third quarter opened the gate for Libertyville to take the lead for good. With four minutes remaining in the contest, Antioch came within one point of the lead before Libertyville pulled away in the games closing minutes.

Starla Williams paced Antioch in the losing effort. She poured in 12 points while snaring eight boards. Complementing her was Jen Dewar with eight and Dina Izenstark and Alex Mika with seven apiece.

Meanwhile, Libertyville helped itself by connecting on 17-of-34 free throws in the game.

The end result was just one of many this season where Antioch has been close but has come up empty handed.

"We are in each of these games except for a few minutes in each one," said head coach Don Zeman. "Getting caught up in the speed, tempo, and pace of the game seems to be controlling us."

But Zeman is not displeased with his team's play. In fact, the coach believes they are playing better as the season has progressed.

"We've been making steady progress in our overall game, but just haven't had the wins to show for it," he said. "We certainly didn't expect to go in an 11-game losing streak, but as long as we make progress in the upcoming games we will remain optimistic about the second half of the season."

Antioch will compete in the McHenry tournament Dec. 22, 26, 27, 28 and 29. Last year, the Sequoits finished 2-2 in the tournament, having lost their two games by a combined total of five points.

Park's basketball begins Jan. 9

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

It's not too late for boys and girls between the ages of 4-11 years old to sign up for a hooping good time through the Antioch parks and recreation department.

The department's basketball program will begin on Wednesday, Jan. 9 and will continue on Wednesdays for a total of six weeks. Instruction will be given by Sports Camps of America at the Antioch Elementary School located on Main St. near the historical society museum.

"We've used Sports Camps of America every year," said parks director Laurie Stahl. "They've done a good job for us."

Children will learn the basics of team play

and elementary skills.

Four and 5-year-olds will play from 5-6 p.m. The cost is \$40 for residents and \$50 for non-residents.

Six through 8-year-olds will play from 6-7:30 p.m. and 9- to 11-year-olds will play from 7:30-9 p.m. The cost is \$50 for residents and \$70 for non-residents. These two groups will be divided into teams and will play instructional games against other teams in the same age group.

"They try to keep the teams equal," said Stahl. "To my knowledge, they don't play a championship game, but I know they do keep track of wins."

Registration takes place through Jan. 4 at the parks department office located at 806 Holbek Drive. The phone number is 395-2160.



The Antioch dance team performs during halftime of the varsity boys basketball game against Stevenson.—Photo by Steve Young

ACHS dancers eye another state title

By JOE PRUSKI
Correspondent

State championships are hard to come by. Expect maybe if you're referring to the Antioch Dance team.

Two years ago, the squad blew away the competition en route to state titles in the kick and prop routines.

Last season, the Sequoits knocked at the door only to finish second in the same two categories.

And then there's this year.

With a smaller but more experienced team, Antioch will once again be eyeing a state title.

"This year we have a much older team," said junior co-captain Ashley Ginascol. "The team is a lot smaller and we know each other a lot better."

Led by senior co-captains Tristan Gandolfi and Kim Boyer, the team has already racked up two first-place finishes and three second-places finishes on the new season.

At the Argo tournament, the Sequoits took first in the prop category, and second in kick

and funk. Last year the team swept the competition taking first in every event they competed in at the triple 'A' level.

"We were very happy with our funk performance because it had improved tremendously since our previous competition," said Ginascol.

According to Ginascol the team has improved throughout the year, which began in June.

"We've definitely gone uphill," she said. "I think now we are much more self motivated than we used to be."

Coming up for the Antioch squad is the Warren competition on Jan. 13 in Gurnee. The team will have a good deal of practice time in between competitions that will be used to improve on the various routines.

"Right now we're working on cleaning up our routines and improving our technique," said Ginascol.

Earlier this season Antioch competed in the Rich Central competition where they exhibited their kick and funk routines. The team placed first in the kick category and second in funk.

COLLEGE SPORTS REPORT

AREA ATHLETES MAKING THE GRADE

Augustana College

Men's basketball

Former Carmel standout **Joe Baumann** scored his first varsity basket and completed a three-point play to start a 17-0 run in the Vikings' 84-72 victory over Rockford. Baumann, a freshman, led Lake County in scoring last year with almost 20 points per contest. Temmate Shaun Clements (Lake Zurich, Lake Zurich H.S.) scored 10 points in the victory. Clements is also in his freshman year at the Division III school.

Women's swimming

Lindenhurst's **Erin Storc** is also a member of the women's swimming team. In the Augustana Invitational over the weekend, Storc was fourth in 1-meter diving with a score of 249.15. Storc's finish is an individual-best in that event this season for Augie. As a team, the Vikings finished third with 662 points.

Carthage College

(Kenosha, Wis.)

Junior **Krysty Plotz** and senior **Jamie Wismer**, both from Antioch, were members of the Lady Reds women's soccer team this fall. Plotz earned her first letter while this is the second for Wismer. The Lady Reds, coached by Dteve Domin, finished 17-2 overall and second in the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin with a 6-1 mark.

Eastern Illinois University

Lake Villa resident and former Grant **Bulldog Teri LaRoche** is also a member of the team. LaRoche, a sophomore forward-midfielder, appeared in 19 games coming off the bench. She scored one goal on the season

as the Panthers qualified for their first-ever NCAA tournament by virtue of winning the Ohio Valley Conference Tournament. EIU, which lost 2-0 to sixth-ranked Notre Dame in the first-round, finished the 2001 campaign 14-6 overall.

Millikin University

Football

Nate Carden, an Antioch resident and former Antioch Sequoit, has earned his third letter as part of the football team. It was also announced that the junior will be one of four co-captains for the 2002 season.

North Central College

(Naperville)

Men's basketball

Former **Grayslake Ram** basketball standout **Bill Stang** poured in 15 points and grabbed eight boards in an 81-60 loss to Heidelberg College in opening-round play of the North Central Holiday Inn Tip-Off Classic. The senior co-captain then pumped in a career-high and tournament-high 29 points but the Cardinals lost a 64-63 heartbreaker to Manchester College. Stang had a chance for the game-winner but his turnaround jumper rimmed out at the buzzer. For the tournament, which North Central went 0-3, Stang was a unanimous selection to the All-Tournament team. Over the three games, he averaged 22 points while grabbing close to seven rebounds.

Stang then scored his first double-double, scoring 19 points and grabbing 10 rebounds, in a loss to the University of Illinois-Chicago. Stang currently leads the team in both scoring (19 ppg) and rebounding (8).

Bulls scholarships available

The Chicago Bulls and CharitaBulls, the Bulls' charity foundation, will award four \$2,000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors who plan to begin college in the summer or fall of 2002.

In honor of former Bulls' star John Paxson, one of the scholarships will be designated as the John Paxson Scholarship Award. The scholarships can be used at any accredited four-year college, two-year junior college or community college.

In order to apply for a CharitaBulls Scholarship, seniors must live in Cook, Lake, DuPage, Will or McHenry County, submit an official application form, a transcript and a 500-word essay commenting on the following: The events of Sept. 11, 2001 will forever change people's views of living in the United States. What does it mean to you to live in the United States? How have the events of Sept. 11, affected your life? Based on your views of

these questions, how will you use your college education to positively impact society?

The scholarships will be awarded based on the applicant's academic and extracurricular achievements, along with the contents of the essay. Neither race, sex, nor financial status will be factors in determining the winners.

Applications must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2002, and the scholarship winners will be notified by March 15, 2002. The winners will be recognized during half-time of the April 5 Bulls game with the Toronto Raptors.

Scholarship applications and information have been mailed to high school guidance counselors in the five-county northern Illinois area. Applications are also available by writing to the Bulls at: CharitaBulls Scholarship Program, Chicago Bulls, 1901 W. Madison, Chicago, IL 60612, or by calling 312-455-4000.

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AAU registration tournament

Kobudo (weapons)

Sandy Hanson, gold; Shane Edling, gold; Ian Calvert, Silver.

KATA

Michelle Quero, silver; Kelsey Maldonado, gold; Megan Barrera, 4th; Zak Semitka, bronze; Blake Harris, Bronze; Jeff DeBoer, 4th; Jorge Quero, 7th; Shane Edling, bronze; Kierstin Johansen, silver; Cameron Nicolai, 8th; Efrain Oliveras, gold; Neal Vaisvilas, 4th; Merrick Johansen 5th; Ben Refaelov, 6th; Levi Godsey, 7th; Ariel Kerby, 5th; Hans Johansen, bronze; Colin Flanigan, 7th; Ian Calvert, 4th; Marc Mrozinski, 8th; Geoffrey Knuth, silver; Adam Refaelov, bronze; Scott Curtis, bronze; Graham Connors, bronze; Cori Edling, gold; Linda DiVito, bronze; David Keller, silver; Sandy Hanson, silver.

KUMITE

Kelsey Maldonado, gold; Zak Semitka, silver, Blake Harris, gold; Jeff DeBoer, bronze; Shane Edling, gold; Kierstin Johansen, silver; Cameron Nicolai, 5th; Efrain Oliveras, gold; Neal Vaisvilas, bronze; Ben Refaelov, bronze; Merrick Johansen, bronze; Ariel Kerby, silver; Marc Mrozinski, bronze; Levi Gidsey, silver; Colin Flanigan, 5th; Ian Calvert, 5th; Hans Johansen, bronze; Geoffrey Knuth, silver; Adam Refaelov, gold; Scott Curtis, silver; Cori Edling, gold; Linda DiVito, bronze; David Keller, silver.

News and Notes

SWAT Training

Dec. 21, 7 p.m.; Jan. 18, 7 p.m.; Feb. 15, 7 p.m.; March 15, 6 p.m. CPR)

2002 AAU Nationals

There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board for those who are planning on attending the 2002 AAU Karate Nationals or would like more information. Sign up if you plan on attending. There is also a sign-up sheet for those who need more information.

Bowling

Scheduled for Jan. 20, Feb. 17 and March 10 from 6-8 p.m. Sign up sheets will be posted at the dojo at the beginning of each month. The cost is \$10 per person and covers two games and shoes.

Private lessons

These lessons are recommended for any student who wishes to complement his regular training class. A private lesson may be beneficial to a student who is having a difficult time with a particular skill or kata. Private lessons can also help with the overall progress of a student. Talk to Sensei Anna to schedule a private lesson or to give a certificate (for the holidays) for one.

Dates to remember

Dec. 21: SWAT/Sempai Training-7 p.m.; Dec. 22: Belt Exam 1 p.m.; Dec. 24-Jan. 2: No classes; Jan. 20: Bowling 6-8 p.m.

Feb. 2: AAU Illinois State Tournament; Feb. 17: Bowling 6-8 p.m.; March 9: Brown/Black Belt Exam-3:30-7 p.m.; March 10: Bowling 6-8 p.m.; March 10-15: Stripe Testing; March 16: Belt Exam 3 p.m.; March 17: ASK Banquet 1-4 p.m.; April 20-21: AAU Regional Tournament; June 2-7: Stripe Testing; June 8: Belt Exam 3 p.m.; End of June: AAU National Tournament

December birthdays

Dec. 19-Noelle Bruce, Linda Harris, Jordan Keller; Dec. 28-Mery Aikin

YOUTH SPORTS DIGEST

Prince of Peace stays unbeaten

The Lake Villa-based Prince of Peace sixth-grade boys basketball team is currently undefeated 12 games into a 16-game season.

"It's been incredible," said head coach Gary Link of his team's stellar start. "We never expected that."

The Apaches are currently unbeaten because of stellar team defense, which holds the opposition to an average of 10 points per game.

"We have a lot of speed," said Link, a key because of the team's lack of size. "Our outside shooting is also a strength."

The team's last game was a 29-9 victory over St. Joseph's in Round Lake in which Colin O'Malley led the team with 10 points.

"This is one of the most unselfish teams Prince of Peace has had in years," said Link. "Every member of the team has scored this year and we often have different players leading the team in scoring."

With four games left before the conference tournament, Prince of Peace will next play on Jan. 4 at St. Peter's in Antioch.

The team is currently competing for first place in the Fox Valley Catholic Conference with St. Gilbert's of Grayslake, St. Mary's of Fremont and Transfiguration of Wauconda.

The Apaches consist of Jonathan DeGrave, Kevin Doestch, Jacob Heuvelman, Zach Jung, Joshua Nieman, O'Malley, Randy Ratajczyk, Anthony Thommes, John Vanlerberghe and Alec Zelinski.

The coaches of Prince of Peace are Link, Doug Nieman, Mick Urbanski and Greg Linder. —Rob Backus

The Grayslake Youth Baseball Association announces that one more player is needed to fill its roster for the 2002 travel team. The tryout will be held at the Grayslake High School small gym on Sunday, December 16 from 5-7 p.m. Any boy that will be the age of 13 on August 31, 2002 and resides in the Grayslake High School district is eligible. If you have any questions, please leave a message for Kurt Schmidt at 548-BALL.

The Lakeland girls softball team, formerly Lindenhurst softball, will begin practice in January. Registration for the 12- and-under team will take place during Dec. with a parent meeting to be held before practice begins. Practices will take place in the Northwest Lake County area. For further information, please call Steve Schoenfelder at 838-7630.

News and Notes

The Lake Villa Timberwolves varsity Pom-Pom squad has earned a spot in the AmeriCup National Championships in Minneapolis, Minn. Feb. 21-24.

The varsity poms, who regularly cheer for the T'Wolves Youth Football Program, won three events during the fall season: The Grayslake Invitational, The Antioch Invitational and The College of Lake County Invitational.

Members of the team include: Jenny Allen, Alyssa Wennerstrom, Megan Venturi, Ashley Beadle, Anna Selgert, Alyssa Bonnot, Corrine Rampaul, Megan Burge, Kristina Post, Ashley Davidson, Lauren Pickhardt, Jessica Gaido, Christina Mazulia, Christie Laurich, Nicole Glogovsky, Stephanie Gutowski, Samantha Larcom, Katie Hanley, Melissa Lamz and Stephanie Hill.

The squad is coached by Toni Laurich with Debbie Beadle, Stacie Gaido and Kristin Beadle assisting.

Grayslake Galaxy Soccer Club will be holding a meeting for volunteers at 9 a.m. Sat., Jan. 19, 2002 in the upstairs meeting room at the Grayslake Village Hall.

All parents or relatives of players with an interest in volunteering are welcome to attend. Many volunteer opportunities are available. For further questions, please contact Georgia at 265-1787.

Camps

Basketball

Applications are now being evaluated for the Ten Star All-Star Summer Basketball Camp. The Camp is by invitation only to boys and girls ages 10-19. Past participants include Michael Jordan, Tim Duncan, Vince Carter, Jerry Stackhouse, Grant Hill and Antawn Jamison.

Players from 48 states and seven foreign countries attended the 2001 camp. There is also a Team All-Star Camp for school and AAU teams. For a free brochure, please call 704-568-6801 anytime.

Hooked on Hoops, a youth basketball club, will hold its final fall Wednesday session on Dec. 19 from 7-8:30 p.m. It will also hold Saturday sessions on Nov. 10 and 17 and Dec. 1, 8 and 15 from 10 a.m.-noon.

Sign-ups are accepted on the first day of camp. Players should bring their own basketball. For further information, please call the Hoops hotline at 970-9300.

Northern Illinois University's baseball program will be offering a Winter Baseball Camp for boys ages 8-18. Each camper will receive individual instruction from professionals in specific areas. The camps will consist of five different sessions: youth camps (ages 8-13) will meet on Dec. 22; offensive skills (ages 13-18) Dec. 27; defensive skills (ages 13-18) Dec. 27; pitching and catching (ages 13-18) Jan. 19, 2002; and parent and son camp (ages 8-12) Feb. 9, 2002. All sessions cost \$60, except for pitching and catching and the parent/son camp, which cost \$90 and \$80, respectively.

For further information or a brochure, please call (815) 753-5300 or check out the web site at www.niu.edu/athletics.

Eastern Illinois University is holding a Holiday Baseball Camp on Dec. 27-30. The camp, which will emphasize total skills, costs \$175 for commuters and \$225 for overnight campers. It is for youths ages 5-12.

For further information, please contact Eastern Illinois' Head Baseball Coach Jim Schmitz at 217-348-5143 or EIU Assistant baseball Coach Mike Rodgers at 217-348-8395.

Competitions

The Stateline Comets Cheer Clinic will be held on Sat., Jan. 19, 2002 from 9 a.m.-3:45 p.m. in the Richmond-Burton High School Gymnasium.

The cost of the Cheer Clinic is \$30 per participant and is open to girls in grades 1-8. Registration with payment is due by Thurs., Dec. 20. All participants will receive a free T-shirt. All participants will be provided lunch and an afternoon snack. Family and friends are invited to watch the final performance, which starts at 3 p.m.

Please contact Barb Katchmar at 847-587-1260 or Carrie Thomas at 847-587-8621 for more information or to request a registration package.

LOCAL SPORTS DIGEST

News and Notes

The Round Lake Beach Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 97 will be hosting a benefit basketball game Sun., April 21 at the College of Lake County against the Chicago Sports Legends. The Legends consist of former and current Chicago Bears and Chicago Bulls.

The Round Lake Beach FOP Lodge 97 is comprised of full-time police officers from the Round Lake Beach Police Department. They pride themselves in the continuing efforts and involvement with local projects such as the Children's Fishing Derby, Scholarship Fund, Canine Unit, as well as other Youth and Community Programs.

Ruth Riley, a member of the 2001 National champion Notre Dame Fighting Irish women's basketball team, will be conducting a basketball skills clinic to help young athletes design their own player development programs. The clinic will be held Fri., Dec. 21 from 6-9 p.m. and Sat., Dec. 22 from 9 a.m.-noon at The Bannockburn Club, 2211 Waukegan Rd. in Bannockburn.

Riley will be joined by Full Package Athletics Coach Steve Pratt as both will help players with their offensive skills while applying them to game situations.

The clinic, which costs \$150, is limited to the first 40 athletes. Full Package Athletics and The Bannockburn Club sponsors the clinic.

Riley, the 2000-01 National Women's Collegiate Player of the Year, is the starting center for the WNBA's Miami Sol. She was a unanimous First-team All-American while

also being named the Naismith Women's Player of the Year.

The Snowseekers Ski Club welcomes families, couples and singles and all levels for downhill and cross-country skiing.

The Snowseekers next meeting is Thurs., Jan. 2, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church located at Maple and Douglas Ave. in Libertyville. Dr. Patrick Morris will speak on "Peak Performance"—physical fitness for the slopes and trails. For further information, please call President Cindi Wunder at 367-0919.

Midwest Championship wrestling, the No. 1 independent pro wrestling organization in the Midwest, will be making a return visit to The College of Lake County Sat., Jan. 26, 2002. This star-studded card includes the likes of Indy Sensations Scoot Andrews, CM Punk, Danny Dominion, Sharkboy, Chad Collyer, Jayson Reign, Vic Capri and local Lake County resident Colt Cabana. Also scheduled to appear includes former ECW superstars Simon Diamond and Chris Chetti, accompanied by Dawn Marie.

General admission cost is \$18. Tickets are still available by calling the CLC box office at 543-2300. Doors will open at 6:15 p.m. with action starting at 7:30 p.m.

All proceeds from this fund-raiser go towards CLC athletics.

For further information on this event or MCW in general, please contact CEO and Owner Brian Zenner at 585-8012 or check out the web site at www.midwestchampionship-wrestling.com.

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Video highlights tech campus' twenty-fifth

By STEVE SKINNER
Correspondent

Line fine wine, the Lake County High Schools Technology Campus, located next to the College of Lake County in Grayslake, gets better with age.

In 2002, the largest vocational program in Illinois will celebrate its 25th year, Silver Anniversary. The first planned event will be a breakfast for the 300 business partners and prior to the Feb. 22 Board of Control meeting.

"We are extremely proud of the success our program has achieved over the last 25 years," said Dr. Linda Helton, executive director of the Technology Campus for the past eight years.

"We hope to include some student success stories as one of the focal points of our anniversary celebrations and may feature a student every month for the duration of next year's celebrations," Dr. Helton also mentioned that plans for an end of the year gala celebration in 2002, as well as other ways to recognize the anniversary, are still in the works.

Necessity, and the upcoming anniversary, have resulted in a new videotape produced by the school and the media students outlining the myriad of vocational program options offered by the Technology Campus. The videotape was premiered by members of the Control Board. School officials in attendance were impressed by the quality of information contained within the 15 minute tape. The videotape contains a brief outline of all of the vocational program available to high school students at the Technology Campus.

The video covers everything from the Automotive Program, to Culinary Arts, to Television Production and closes with their classes in Welding Technologies. Also contained on the video are glimpses of the

Technology Campus' state-of-the-art facility. The school holds an open house every year near the beginning of November and the anniversary gala planned for 2002 year's end will be held after next year's open house.

"This year we had a very successful open house and well over a 1,000 parents and students came out to see what we offer. Our attendance in the program is the highest it has ever been with 1,500 students," said Dr. Helton.

"I believe the students who attend our vocational programs do so well because they want to be here to learn what we teach. Our students win more awards at competition than any other vocational program in the state and are the VICA state champs for the eighth consecutive year. When our bus arrives at the competitions in Springfield, you can hear the disappointed groans by the other competing students from around the state," beamed a proud Dr. Helton.

"Attending the Technology Campus was the best thing that ever happened to my son Colin by allowing him to discover his passion in life," stated Linda Strause, whose son attended the program in 1944. "Some kids are drawn to academics, and some kids have a passion for working on cars, or whatever. Colin was able to discover, and feed, his passion for computers and video production quicker than he could have in college," said Strause.

College may not be for every student and the Technology Campus certainly presents a viable alternative by offering excellent, hands-on, training in many interesting areas of study while allowing some students to also earn transferable college credits. The Vocational Program of the Technology Campus is available to 20 high schools throughout Lake and McHenry counties, and the tuition for the program is paid for by the student's participating high school.



Lake County High Schools Technology Campus Executive Director Dr. Linda Helton, standing at left, talks with EMS/firefighting instructor Ruth Schiller during a class at the Grayslake facility. The school will celebrate its 25th anniversary next year.— Photo by David Krueger

No haircuts, shaves at this holiday show

Great American Barbershop chorus to perform
"An Evening in December" College of County

By VICTORIA SCHROEDER
Staff Reporter

Dr. Greg Lyne never thought that he would be "bamboozled" into directing the Great American Chorus, a nationally recognized barbershop chorus.

But what started as a part-time job has turned into a full time commitment. The chorus will perform at the College of Lake County on Saturday, Dec. 22, at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Close to 100 members of the chorus will perform nearly two dozen holiday tunes including Hanukkah, Christmas and winter-time selections.

Barbershop harmony has been popular with audiences for over 100 years. It originated with a melting-pot of African-American musical styles, European hymn-singing, and an American tradition of recreational music.

The predominantly all-male choruses sang in barbershops, on street corners and parlors, according to the Society of the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, Inc. (SPEBSQSA).

The chorus started about four years ago, after a group of Dr. Lyne's admirers recruited him to form and direct the Great American Chorus. Lyne said he had no idea that they planned on making him director, but he accepted.

Since then, the chorus has performed numerous times and competed twice internationally for the SPEBSQSA. They went up against 23 other choruses from the United States and foreign countries, including England, Sweden and Australia.

"We've been in the top five both times," said Lyne.

At last year's competition in Nashville, the chorus scored 2,638 points out of a possible 3000, putting them in fifth place. The previous year they took third place.

"We are relatively a new chorus, yet we're trying to become as proficient as we can," said Lyne.

Bill Niles of Gurnee has been singing barbershop for over 16 years. "I grew up loving music that had harmony. I stumbled upon a barbershop choir, (while living in Denver) liked it and joined," said Niles.

Upon moving to Lake County four years ago, Niles said he read an article about the Great American Chorus, with Dr. Lyne as founder and director.

"He is one, if not the finest choral director. Lyne is extremely known in the barbershop chorus world and in respect to choral music," said Niles. "I knew this was going to be a top notch chorus."

Shortly after, Niles attended a practice and said, "I could tell immediately they were enjoying it and just having fun. I found that to be true."

Besides being fun, Niles said, "It's neat that it's made up of all age groups and all walks of life. It doesn't matter what occupation or how much money you have, we are all there, simply because we love music."

He expects to see family, co-workers, friends and acquaintances at the CLC performance.

"It becomes a tradition for friends to come to the holiday show," said Niles.

By the same token, chorus member Chris Kirkham of Lake Villa, said, "he hopes to see everyone there for some wholesome family entertainment."

Following last month's performance in Waukegan, about 20 people from the audience started coming to the chorus' practices, said Kirkham. "Coming to one of our performances may move you to join us."

The show will be at the College of Lake County, 19351 W. Washington Street, Grayslake. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$18, \$15 and \$12. They can be purchased by credit card by calling 1-888-494-8705.

Link: 1-day furlough for state employees

In the wake of major budget cuts offered by Governor Ryan, which include a one day unpaid furlough for state employees under

the Governor's control, State Senator Terry Link (D-Vernon Hills) said the proposal should be extended to all elected officials and their staffs. If the Governor begins to furlough employees under his control, Senator Link believes the furlough should be extended to the other constitutional officers along with their employees, as well as members of the General Assembly and the Supreme Court and their staffs.

"I think it's only fair," said Senator Link. "If we expect one branch to take an unpaid day to help shore up the budget, we should ask the same of everyone else too. I will certainly be happy to do my part by giving up a day's pay and would hope that my colleagues would be willing to do the same."

Among the first actions taken by Governor Ryan to balance the budget shortfall was the proposal that all of the 60,000 employees under his control be required to take a one-day unpaid furlough over the next seven months. The Governor's idea requires the days to be staggered in order to ensure that no

state services are interrupted. Additionally, the Governor is requiring his cabinet and senior staff to join him in working during their furlough days. The measure is expected to save approximately \$8 million in General Funds.

According to state records in October of this year, there were 87,502 state employees under the control of the executive, legislative and judicial branches of Illinois government. Senator Link's proposal would extend the furlough to the approximately 27,502 elected officials and staff of the General Assembly and Supreme Court.

Senator Link said he is unsure of the exact estimated savings at this point, but assumes the savings would be substantial.

"These are tough times and we need to take bold measures to ensure that the State can continue to provide services for all citizens," Senator Link said. "While I'm sure this may provide a hardship for some individuals, we must accept the fact that similar, if not more severe, actions would occur in the private sector. I certainly call upon all my colleagues who are elected state officials to join me in supporting this proposal."



Link



Full speed ahead for Geo

State Sen. (R-Zion) Adeline Geo Karis, who served as a U.S. Navy officer during World War II, poses with Naval Sea Cadet Raymond Jones and Zion-Benton Township High School NJROTC's Victoria Barth at the annual Lake County Navy League Pasta Dinner. Proceeds from the event benefit several organizations.

County has auction web site

The Public Administrator and Guardian of Lake County is going public. He is launching a web site where the public can bid on items that are to be sold out of estates handled by his office.

Items like cars, boats, furniture, and other items too large to place on E-bay. At this time, there are five cars, two canoes, 12 model boats, numerous furniture items, and a hot air balloon, so you never know what you are

going to find.

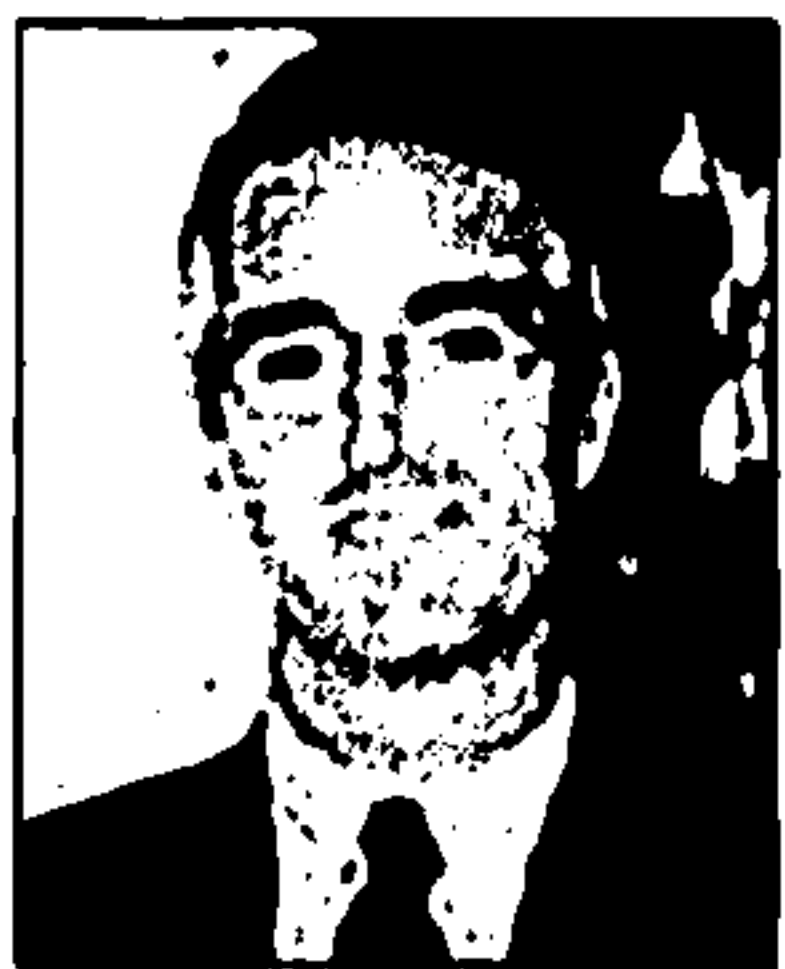
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AWARD WINNING CLASSIFIED INSIDE

New county chief an 'excellent fit'

By DENYS BUCKSTEN
Community Editor

Dist. 1 Rep. Suzi Schmidt said that newly appointed administrator Barry Burton, a former deputy county administrator in Franklin County, Ohio, will be an excellent fit for Lake County.



Burton

"It's his management style that I'm really comfortable with," said Schmidt, who headed a 14-member search committee that has been busy since late summer. "He has a warm, easy going style, a lot of experience in finance, which is always important, and a lot of judicial experience, which is important with the space problems we have in the Lake County Jail."

Burton will take over from interim administrator Gary Gibson.

"The Lake County Board is pleased to have someone with Barry's combination of knowledge and experience to serve as our new administrator," said Schmidt. "We are eager to move forward and begin working with Barry as soon as possible. Many of the issues he has undertaken in Ohio are similar to those we are facing here in Lake County."

The county board unanimously approved Burton's appointment, effective on Jan. 21. Burton, 37, received a starting

salary of \$152,000.

As a deputy commissioner for Franklin County, the 33rd largest in the U.S., Burton was responsible for overseeing daily operations of the county's 11 agencies and 1,300 employees. Burton also had responsibility for the budget and was involved with planning for 40 county agencies with a combined workforce of over 7,000.

"Barry came from a large county, larger than Lake," said Schmidt, and he's had experience with an overcrowded jail, a growing judicial branch and highway problems, which are the same things we need him for here. In Lake County we have to do something with traffic and with county roads."

Burton's primary area of focus for Franklin County included economic development, justice programs, public works, planning, human resources, purchasing, risk management, budgeting, community development and environmental issues. He was also responsible for all labor negotiations, development, strategic planning, business planning and the performance-based budgeting process.

The Lake County government has 2,800 full-time employees, who work with the Lake County Board, countywide elected officials and various government entities to provide leadership and services to more than 640,000 county residents.

The search process began in August when the county advertised for the position. Forty-four persons applied by a Sept. 20 deadline, said Schmidt, and that number was "whittled

down to 20-something right away," she added.

Prior to county search committee members interviewing anybody, the 20-something candidates list was pared to nine, including one woman. The committee then began checking backgrounds, including education checks.

Weeks ago, three finalists, including two from Illinois and Burton, from Ohio, were brought in for interviews and a tour of the county departments. "As a group," said Schmidt, "we discussed them, had them meet all our staff and visit the different departments. We had three really excellent finalists and they all brought different things."

"But Barry had just the combination of major things that we were looking for," she added. "We (the committee) all had our own little opinions, but we felt that he was a very good fit for this county."

"I'm glad it (the search) is over."

Burton is eligible for a \$5,000 raise after six months on the job, based on performance. Burton is not at the top of the salary level for the job in Lake County. The administrator's post can bring salaries of \$170,000 and up, said Schmidt.

Prior to working in Franklin County, Burton was county administrator of Allegany County, Maryland, and Director of Environmental Services and Budget Analysis for Hamilton County, Ohio.

Burton holds a Master of Public Administration degree from Northern Kentucky University and a Bachelor of Science degree in urban administration from the University of Cincinnati.

Burton also holds the rank of major in the United States Army Reserve. He has a wife, Janet, twin boys, 11, and a daughter, seven months.

Carmel exams Jan. 12

Carmel High School in Mundelein will hold entrance exams on Jan. 12 for eighth graders interested in attending the school in the fall of 2002.

The test is scheduled for 8:15 a.m. at the school, on Route 176 near Hawley Street. The test fee is \$20.

Two exam-related scholarships will be

available for the 2002-03 school year. A \$1,000 freshman scholarship will go to those who score in the top one percent of the test and a \$500 scholarship will go to anyone who scores in the top two percent.

Free busing to and from the exam is available at all Lake County parishes. For more information call the school at 847-327-6320.

Buy back: 408 guns

By BRENDA BALIN-BEITSCHER
Staff Reporter

Thanks to cooperation among several agencies and five municipalities, the Lake County Sheriff's Department collected a total of 408 weapons in its first gun 'buy back' program.

At a press conference on Dec. 19, Sheriff Gary Del Re stood before a table holding an assortment of weapons, including everything from .22 caliber handguns and rifles to antique powder pistols and sawed-off shotguns.

The purpose of the buy back was to provide citizens with an opportunity for the safe disposal of unwanted firearms, instead of releasing them onto the street, where they might be used in crimes.

In Waukegan, 89 weapons were collected. Mundelein collected 99, Round Lake Beach collected 77, Lake Forest collected 75 and Lake Zurich collected 68. In addition, about 25 pounds of ammunition were turned in.

The guns were collected on a voluntary, walk-in basis at five police departments

throughout the county on Dec. 15-16.

Those turning in weapons were given a \$50 gift certificate for a local department store or food store, as well as a stuffed animal.

The program was well received. The only protests came from three people who picketed the Round Lake Beach Police Department, apparently under the impression that tax dollars were to be used for the buy back.

The gifts, toys and funds for the buy back were contributed by a number of Lake County businesses and civic organizations, including Rotary Clubs in Lake Forest, Lake Bluff, Gurnee and Fox Lake. Other contributors included Ace Hardware in Round Lake, Cambridge Bank and the Lake Zurich Chamber of Commerce.

The effort was supported not only by the five local police departments that served as drop-off points, but also by the Lake County Chiefs of Police Association, Lake County Metropolitan Enforcement Group (MEG), and the Lake County Sheriff's Department.

No one was arrested for turning in guns.



County officials observe the proceeds of the Gun Buy Back Program.—Photo by Mary Carmody, Lake County Sheriff's Office

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New forest preserve expected for Village of Round Lake

By JEFF ZACHARY
Staff Reporter

The Lake County Forest Preserve Board of Commissioners is expected to approve the purchase of a new 220-acre forest preserve in the Village of Round Lake on Dec. 21.

The purchase of a 180-acre parcel for \$4,252,500 and an adjoining 40-acre parcel for \$804,000 has already been approved by both the Lake County Forest Preserves Land Preservation and Acquisition Committee and the Finance and Administrative Committee.

The land is known as the Nippersink Marsh and is across the street from the Village School in Round Lake. It consists of land north of Route 120 and west of Cedar Lake Road.

The new forest preserve will increase the total acres of forest preserves in Lake County

to 23,607 acres.

"We identified these parcels as high priority a number of years ago, so we are very pleased that the purchase is coming together. To be able to preserve land in one of the fastest growing areas of Lake County is especially important," said Al Westerman, Lake County Forest Preserve president.

Lake County Board member Larry Leafblad, commented, "This is the one and only piece of land the forest preserve could have bought in the greater Round Lake area. It took years of patience. Round Lake Park District Director Jim Rock, former Round Lake Mayor James Lumber and I began the process in 1996 in Lumber's office."



Westerman

He added, "Mayor Bill Gentes helped greatly in the latter phases, too, by indicating to potential developers the village's strong interest in keeping the Nippersink Marsh as forest preserves."

Leafblad concluded by saying, "I can't tell you how proud it makes me feel, knowing as I wrap up 12 years, I leave a Forest Preserve and a County Board District for the people of greater Round Lake. Now, they can vote for someone who actually lives in one of the Round Lake villages, and I will work side-by-side with the winner of the March Primary to help them get up to speed."

The new forest preserve can be seen from Rte. 120, Cedar Lake Road and Nippersink Road.

Five threatened and endangered species have so far been identified on the land, including: the Beaked Sedge, the Pied-Billed Grebe, the Common Moorhen, the Black Tern and the Yellow-headed Blackbird.

The wetlands, marsh vegetation and open water ponds, combined with the uplands and oak-hickory woodlands, offer an excellent blend of landscapes ideal for increasing and protecting the site's bird population.

A portion of Squaw Creek also flows through the site. Agricultural fields within the area could either be restored to woodlands or to their natural wetland state to help alleviate area flooding associated with the Squaw Creek Watershed.

The 180-acre parcel was bought from the Erickson Trust Company and the smaller parcel from Dennis Daly.

Girls get physical on the ice and skate with the boys

By VICTORIA SCHROEDER
Staff Reporter

Who said girls can't play rough with the boys?

Out of the 180 kids ages five to 15 that play for the Glacier National Hockey League (GNHL), at the Glacier Ice Rink in Vernon Hills, eight of them are young, tough and determined girls.

"They play as good as the boys. They don't want the boys treating them any different," said Karen Kay Lavris, of Mundelein, Glacier's figure skating director and former skater with the Ice Capades.

A tough 12-year-old, Katie Tompkins,

"goes after other players and hits. She plays like the game is suppose to be played," said her coach, Marty Marion. He added that "she is a great hockey player and definitely a better player on the team."

Tompkins plays right and left defense and is the only girl on the Flyers, one of Glacier's GNHL, co-ed teams.

"I'm the same as the boys. Just as good or even better. I should be treated the same," said Tompkins who has ice skated since she was five-years-old and has played hockey for three years.

When she was about nine-years-old, she decided to quit figure skating so she could play hockey because it had "more action, more to do and learn," said Tompkins.

Teammate Elliot Marion, 12, is Marty's son and adds that Tompkins is a really determined player, has a lot of skill, and is a really good skater. He added that "whether you are an experienced skater or a beginner, we all treat each other the same way."

Elliot, who has played ice hockey for seven years, said the checking and pushing during the games of the GNHL is very mild compared to some of the other leagues he's played on.

New to Glacier this year are the "Vixens," an all-woman's exhibition hockey team which is part of the Women's Central Hockey League, WCHL.

Renee Pearson, of South Elgin and one of the Vixen's goalies, is no stranger to hockey, but admits she just learned how to ice skate.

"I remember the first day on skates and thinking how slippery the ice was. I expected the skates to dig in more, but I never fell." She added that she got her hockey experience from playing field hockey for several years.

She added that the team is doing much better than she thought they would, considering most of them have never played hockey before.

However, some have played hockey before, she said, including three Canadians; Sue Upward, Diane Alexander, and Linden Roberts.

"You can tell they have played a little bit longer than most of us. They bring experience to the team," said Pearson.

Beside learning to push, maneuver and get the puck, the Vixens are trying to promote the sport to the younger girls on the GNHL.

"We want them to see that hockey can be a lifetime sport and they have the opportunity to grow up playing hockey," said Suzanne Guidi, Libertyville resident, player and co-founder of the Vixens.

While the big kids are practicing defense, many two-year-old "baby stars" are learning to figure skate. Other toddlers are learning to ice skate and play "tod hockey."

"If they can walk, they can skate," said Lavris.

Classes for the youngest addition to the Glacier are filling up rapidly. Close to 100 toddlers currently play "tod hockey" and "baby stars" enrollment has exceeded 35.

"The number one thing is to gain their confidence. By 10 weeks, they are starting to glide and the "tod hockey" players are holding their sticks and using the pucks," said Lavris.

She added that on Dec. 29, several figure skaters and "tod hockey" players will star in a free event, "Holiday on Ice."

For more information about the Glacier call 847-362-1222, or for the Vixen's web site, log on to www.glaciervixens.org.



Augusta Nau, 5, of Lake Forest, shares a laugh with 6-year-old Paige Kibbler of Vernon Hills while skating at the Glacier Ice Rink in Vernon Hills.— Photo by Sandy Bressner

Veteran Churchill signs on for 62nd House District run

Robert W. Churchill of Lake Villa, a 16-year Republican state representative from the 62nd District, has announced a return bid to the district after a three-year absence.

Also running in the 62nd District are Republican candidates Ed Walters, Grayslake; and Albert Wysocki, Lake Villa.

Churchill said this week that he has considered a return to the political arena for several months, but he postponed an announcement because he was directly involved in Lake County's redistricting process.

"I did not wish to have a decision of mine impact the final outcome of the legislative districts," said Churchill. "The action by the federal court in setting a trial date in January, without extending the time for filing, necessitated that my decision be made public."

Churchill left the house in early 1999 and accepted a position from Gov. George Ryan on the state's Prison Review Board, which he kept for over a year.

Churchill, 54, maintains a law office at 2 S. Whitney, in Grayslake. Churchill is recently divorced and has three daughters.

When Churchill represented the 62nd District, it included Antioch, Lake Villa, Newport and Benton Townships.

The redistricting has created a new district with no incumbent. It comprises almost all of Warren Township, almost all of Avon Township (with the exception of Round Lake and the western part of Round Lake Park), the southern half of Lake Villa Township and a

small part of eastern Grant Township.

Churchill said that "having represented a good portion of the district in Illinois House, and having been born, raised and worked my whole life in a part of the district I did not previously represent, I am well acquainted with the people and issues of the new 62nd District."

During his 16 years in the house, Churchill spent 12 years in leadership roles, including a stint as the house majority leader when the Republican party was in the majority.

WIM raised \$500 for scholarship fund

The Lake Cook Chapter of Women in Management raised \$500 for its scholarship fund by hosting the second annual Pamper Night.

The event, provided women with an evening of relaxation and networking. Women were treated to manicures, facials, massages, makeovers, hair stylists, women's clothing and jewelry.

In 2001, Lake Cook WIM disbursed two \$500 scholarships through local community college - one to Stephanie Morrison of Oakton Community College and another to Sally Joy Andersson of College of Lake County. The organization will continue to award scholarships to provide women re-entering the workforce with educational funds to establish or enhance their career.



Two-and-a-half-year-old Alec Schwab of Lake Villa hits the ice with his hockey gear at the Glacier Ice Rink in Vernon Hills. Schwab has been skating for over a year.— Photo by Sandy Bressner

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Name: Amy Peters

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I'm originally from: Northbrook

My family consists of: Mom—Ann, Dad—Tom, Sister—Sara (19), Brother—Josh (12)

I relax by: Sleeping. I also like to listen to music

My life's motto is: "Always Stay as Positive as I Can"

The secret to my success is: Hard work and a lot of time

My greatest accomplishments are: Making the varsity basketball team as a freshman and being voted treasurer of FBIA.

Sports goal I would like to accomplish: I want to play a sport in college

I want to be remembered as: Someone who was outgoing and who was always positive and nice to people.

My dream job would be: I would like to work in a field related to biology.

If I were not involved in sports, I would be: I would be really involved in student government.

Most memorable sports event that I was involved in: I won state on my basketball club four years in a row.

Favorite athlete: Cynthia Cooper, former WNBA player for the Houston Comets.

Person, in or around sports, who influenced me most: My mom because she always drove me everywhere. I wouldn't be in sports if it wasn't for her.

Greatest local athlete you ever saw/greatest individual performance: Maggie Fontana, former girls basketball player for Palatine (Fremd). She's the player I want to be.

Greatest sports event (local/college/pro) I attended: In 2000, I went with my team to see the Notre Dame/UConn women's basketball game that ND won.

The greatest thing about the local sports scene is: When peers and parents support their team. It gets the players fired up.

Sports are important to me because: Because they are something I've worked hard at for so long. I'm proud of how far I've come. The hard work is paying off.

Pre-game ritual: I always listen to music, usually something fast. I also always pray before each game.

If you know a person involved in the sports scene who you would like to see profiled in this column, call John G. Phelps at 223-8161 x. 132.



Amy Peters

NSC ALL-ACADEMIC FALL ATHLETES

The following student-athletes have been named to the North Suburban Conference All-Academic team for the fall sports season.

Antioch H.S.

Girls tennis

Jennifer Buhrmester, Leslie Burke, Dina Izenstark, Janet Mandro, Ruth McAlonan, Gillian Owens, Laura Reitenbach, Jennifer Richardson, Rebecca Toblaski

Girls golf

Whitney Sehmer

Boys golf

Andrew Kinney, Brian Clutter, Greg Lynn

Football

Mike Menzer, Jeff Heubner, Brad Hogoerhyde, P.J. Hilbert, Allen Patin, Adam Jordan, Rob Ryan, Ben Newton, Jordan Hauser, Paul Baginski, Dan Miodonski, Tom Chilcote, Tim Shebesta, Matt Bock, Ryan Tack, Ryan Jordan, Russ Zagorski

Boys cross country

Justin Mehaffey, Mike Addison, Ryan LeFave, Jordan Dunn, Matt Schmitz, Matt Vogel

Girls Volleyball

Missy Arendas, Erica Brown, Lisa Chudd, Katie Hartl, Marie Heffernan, Tracy Knuth, Meredith Nelson, Sherry Tossey, Catherine Vanlerberghe

Dance team

Heather Axton, Brittany Berman, Kym Boyer, Jenna Diemer, Tristan Gandolfi, Ashley Ginascol, Lauren Popp, Amanda Rzyzko, Heidi Soder

Field hockey

Megan Becker, Kristen Berman, Vicki Garrison, Lila James, Kelly Leibolt, Ciarra Kent, Heather Kiddoo, Jessica Misis

Girls cross country

Amanda Bartz, Holly Clarke, Divya Gollapudi, Laura Hammond

Cheerleading

Brittany Wiegel, Tug Leibolt, Krystle Nowakowski, Heather Page, Carrie Fuller, Karyn Olszak, Sarah Watkins, Jenny Jones, Stefanie Craig, Ashley Miller

Grant H.S.

Boys Golf

Allen Coon, Christian Gregory, Douglas Grom, Benjamin McDonough

Girls Tennis

Erin Celotham, Melissa Sheets

Football

Nathan Rodriguez, Justin Bigalke

Boys Cross Country

Jeff Durlak

Volleyball

Michelle Kautz, Shaina Turley, Stephanie Willding, Jennifer Wick

Cheerleading

Ashley Sheil, Amy Veltum, Veronica Hoehne, Christine Naditz, Meghann Ostertag

Pom-poms

Anaiz Barrios

Lake Forest H.S.

Girls golf

Brooke Yamakoshi, Natasha Anand

Boys cross country

Ryan Pertz, Michael Vigiletti, Ryan Weinstock

Girls Pom-poms

Shannyn Hart, Kacey Warner

Girls cross country

Rachelle Bulchand, Megan Darraugh, Cara Grumley, Jamie Knight, Meghan Lanigan, C.J. Loos, Caitlin Lyman, Carrie Nieman, Kathleen Ryan, Kimberly Swanson, Catherine Witt

Girls field hockey

Natalie Balthrop, Megan Bosau, Caillie Brown, Kathryn Koob, Emily Magnuson, Andrea McCarthy, Meg Ryan, Kathleen Turley, Ashley Wood

Boys soccer

Pablo Abad-Manterola, Thomas Amberg, Kevin Brilliant, Kyle Coughlin, Victor Grossi, Ryan O'Neill, Brian Richards, Alexander Tinucci, Stuart Tribbs, Charles Wood

Boys golf

Ryan Birkhauser, Brett Carlson, Bradley Kopsick, Nicholas Lazos, Nicholas rowland, Scott Weber

Girls swimming/diving

Mia Anderson, Jennifer Carter, Carolyn Cornoa, Kristina Fiore, Erica Moschner, Kozue Nakane, Aubrey Sharman, Cary Telandier

Girls tennis

Diana Carver, Amy Lenz, Kendall Murphy, Alexis Prousis

Girls volleyball

Kathleen Barr, Kathryn Erb, Sarah Ratliff, Lillie Romeiser, Jessica Ross

Cheerleading

Eve Dixon, Erica Grubb, Paula Herrera, Caroline Kaufman, Kathryn Krueger

Football

Mark Bagdon, Daniel Burke, Andrew Crawford, Jason Dell, Patrick Flaherty, Joey Hartman, Drew Haser, Steven Karacic, David Levy, Alexander Mann, David Mofidini, Drew Mullen, Sean Patrick, Doug Valassis, Riley Worthen John Zilka

Libertyville H.S.

Cheerleading

Lauren Damico, Alexis deArmendi, Katherine Giannini, Allison Kaefer, Sarah Kakish, Ashley Loeb, Jenelle Sheridan

Boys Soccer

John Pavletic, Sean Richter,

Boys Golf

Pat Gzehoviak, Andrew Halbert, Kiwon Joh, Adam Roscher

Boys Cross Country

Sean Binion, Derek Laughlin

Girls Cross Country

Lorilee Kalman, Maria Antoyo

Football

Paul Arendt, Greg Bercos, T.J. Culbertson-Fehling, Dan DeRose, Matthew Hudson, Kristen Kucyeyski, Jimmy Lewis, John Randall

Girls Tennis

Bianca Barr, Lindsay Jauch

Girls Swimming

Ann Clark, Jeanine Howard, Ruth McCormack, Mary Poore, Korie Treven, Miriam Tullgren

Girls Volleyball

Jessica Bauschke, Laura Gintant, Ashley Rock, Puja Shah

Mundelein H.S.

Football

Alex Drewanz, Mark Dumich, James Hawkins, Brian Lahey, Brian Leav, Andrew Rick, Joseph Simonis, Ryan VanMilligen

Boys Cross Country

Randy Anderson, Mike Cavers, Billy Wolfe

Girls Tennis

Rebecca Goedken, Christine Roncoli, Jessica Scarim, Erin Sokoloski

Girls Cross Country

Katrina Hodges, Tegan Jones, Lizzy Washburn, Bree Zimmerman

Girls Swimming

Heather Brehmer, Sarah Denny, Emily Hirt, Sarah Nielsen, Stacy Peterson, Angie Wojcik

Boys Soccer

Kurt Bunnelle, John Cape, Dan Clark, Mark Hanwright, Greg Hoffman, Brian Janosch, Jacob Kinsey, Tyler Pagano, Henrik Turk, Matt Wagemann

Golf

Luke Eber, Matthew Gresham, Beth Havensek, Jeff Weir

Girls Volleyball

Jennifer Hynds, Shauna Krysa, Leslie Majarcon, Stacy Plucinski

North Chicago High School

Football

Keith Turner, Imani Beckwith, Dustin Thompson

Girls Volleyball

Paris Curry, Shavonta Otis, Natasha Ross

Girls Tennis

Shaniqua Lettley

Cheerleading

Alana Brerenton

Vernon Hills H.S.

Girls golf

Jennifer Hwang, Hanna Kong, Molly Nora

Girls cross country

Kendal Dean, Ashley Vail

Girls volleyball

Lisa Craver, Jenny Kolto, Kristin Lindberg, Aga Niemczewska, Stephanie Price, Katie Walus

Cheerleaders

Dawn Epstein, Laura Giglio, Stacy Mustari

Pom-poms

Kelsey Darden, Michelle Fine

Football

Kyle Koller, Kevin Rhdein

Boys golf

Stephan Downey

Boys cross country

Adam Braskich

Boys soccer

Atsen Bulus, Doug Horn

Girls swimming

Marina Brioni, Carly Isaacson, Krina Khazina, Heidi Netland, Farina Zimmerman

Girls tennis

Megan Fitzpatrick, Olga Goldberg, Marina Krasner

Warren H.S.

Girls cross country

Julia Birgina

Boys golf

Robert Wermeling, Brian Schmidt

Girls swimming

Erin Roche, Krystina Sarff, Karen Kowalski, Sarah Murphy

Football

Joe Richardt, Alex Schmidt, Dan Treiber, Ryan Treiber, Tim Dorl, Evan Plowginn, Josh Bobo, Jon Chae, Ben Hill, Doug Kurtzweil

Girls golf

Sarah Milewski, Kinza Shakeel, Sarah Jensen

Boys cross country

Brian Early, David Shaffer, Jack Davis, John Hagedorn, Mike Hepp, Craig Murphey, Mike Ross, Kurt Sanders

Boys soccer

Ross Jensen, Chad Olson, Tim Stubenvoll, Gabe Arias, Eric Carnick Dan Doyle, Garrett Slemmons, Matt Yates

Girls tennis

Danielle Ackerman, Teri Chan, Julie Hampson, Amanda Park, Amanda Saraf, Mary Shearer, Jillian Walker, Christy Worth, Vanessa Abejuela, Sarah Brandes, Kanika Rustagi, Sally Salvador, Ali Sutton

Girls volleyball

Jackie Burris, Kara Schmidt, Taylor Schlung, Julie Jackson, Amy Peters, Erin Manning, Laura Dahm, Jill Burris, Stephanie Smith, Jenny Winters

Wauconda H.S.

Cheerleading

Kimberly Malek, Jennifer Milosch

Pom-poms

Danielle Doetsch, Shana Frey

Volleyball

Susie Bitters, Nicole Biskupski, Jennifer Kordas

Football

Brian Malone, Steve Glomski, Scott Vasicek, Wesley Grimm, Travis Hermann, Robert Cordell, Austin Baker, Shane Cameron

Golf

Reed Hapke, Joe Gottardo

Cross country

Nicole Fadellin, Lewis Hutcheons, Leah Rand, Chris Mayer, Travis Iommi, Jenny Ellis, Naomi Hansen

Soccer

Peter Cunningham, Todd Schroeder, Dean Kasula, Chris Schoo, Joshua Zarate, Micheal Hadady, Steven Hernandez, Paul Lenzen, Brian Schoo

Tennis

Carissa Dunkelberg, Jodi Arnesen, Breanna Waugh, Lindsey Cash, Elizabeth Mate

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EDITORIALS

Tech campus deserving of praise

Seed planted 25 years ago to provide a vocational alternative to college preparatory curriculums in local high schools have grown to become a center of technical training recognized for excellence and a national reputation.

Young men and women not pursuing college degrees are finding educational challenges and career choices at the Lake County High School Technology Campus, a neighbor of the College of Lake County on Washington Street. The center serves 22 schools in Lake and McHenry counties.

One of the highlights of a planned silver anniversary observance in February will be chronicling success stories of graduates. There are scores of stories attesting to the Tech Campus aim of unlocking hidden talent in its diverse student body.

Dr. Linda Helton, executive director, pinpointed the secret behind the success of Technology Campus. "Students want to learn what we teach." Fostering desire is the backbone of all successful educational institutions.

Tech Campus offers a remarkably broad field of subjects, every course providing hands-on opportunity for learning. The school is deserving of the accolades it has earned and the congratulations it will receive on its silver anniversary.

Jury service basic citizen duty

The president of the Illinois Judges Association (IJA) holds that jury duty is as important to citizenship as voting. "Maybe more so," stated Circuit Judge Stephen C. Mathers, because "a citizen has more influence and power when serving as a juror than as a voter. It is in the jury room where citizens get to actually influence the system to work toward our highest commonly held political values—the values that we pledge to when we pledge allegiance to the flag."

Judge Mathers is on target when he says that performing basic citizenship duties, such as jury service, has taken on added meaning in the wake of attacks on the U.S.

A person cannot volunteer to serve on a jury. That privilege is available only when he or she receives a summons. For those who do receive a summons, the IJA offers the following information:

- You must be a citizen of the U.S., 18 or older, understand English, and have no disability that would prevent you from actually attending the trial and listening to the evidence.

- When you receive a summons, you must go to the specified courthouse on the date indicated and wait to be called. If you cannot be present on the day the notice says you should appear, contact the courthouse or phone the number on the summons. Another date probably will be scheduled. If you fail to appear, you could be fined, face imprisonment, or both.

- No one is automatically excused from jury duty, but you can be excused if you have valid reasons, such as a vested interest in the case to be heard or a bias that would prevent you from deciding the case fairly.

- Jurors are paid a small amount, usually less than \$20 per day for their service. Employers are not required to pay you while you are on jury duty, but many do. An employer, however, cannot terminate or otherwise penalize you for participating in a jury summons or being accepted as a juror.

There was a time when a jury summons was viewed as an inconvenience. We hope that time is long past, especially when the institutional of military tribunals to cope with the war on terrorism is a subject of public debate. The jury system is a bedrock of American democracy and works when citizens give of their time as jurors to help make it work.



VIEWPOINT

Gift of America's youth: serving, saving the nation

Discussing the muddled state of world affairs and the war on terrorism, our pastor and I reflected on the remarkable positive attitude of many young Americans and their willingness to serve in the armed forces.

Even after years of denigration of the military, flag burning, rampant cynicism, degradation of patriotism, moral decay, ridicule of prayer, and the wholesale assault on long-standing American values, there still is a willingness on the part of young men and women to step up and lay their lives on the line to protect our freedoms and the American way of life. Isn't that remarkable, we mused.

The commitment of these young people to serve is a gift to the nation at this troubled Christmas season. At a time of reawakening to the values that make our nation great, we can thank the generation of young Americans. They will protect us, they will keep us safe.

New Year plunge

Executive Director Tom Teigen of the Waukegan Downtown Association will be leading the way for the annual Polar Bear Plunge at Waukegan Municipal Beach at 10 a.m., Tuesday, Jan. 1. Stout-hearted swimmers joining Teigen will pay a \$10 fee for the fun of getting half-frozen



BILL SCHROEDER
Publisher

for a T-shirt and a contribution to Special Olympics.

Third man theme

John Cox, the first to announce his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the U.S. Senate, finds another candidate joining the primary race to his liking. "Another tax and spender," Cox describes State Rep. Jim Durkin who has joined Aurora millionaire Jim Oberweiss and Cox in the campaign to oppose Democrat incumbent Dick Durbin. Cox, a conservative, describes Durbin's transformation since Sept. 11 as "comical." Durbin is "all red, white and blue now," notes Cox, but he formerly voted against military pay raises, was anti-CIA and was part of a lawsuit against the Bush administration to curb pursuit of Saddam Hussain during the Gulf War.

Calling all musicians

String musicians are being sought by the North Suburban Symphony. (Sorry, no guitars). Sponsored by the Lake Bluff Park District, the orchestra operates out of Gorton Auditorium, Lake Forest, where auditions will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 3. Conductor Paul Vermel said other wind and brass musicians, especially trombone players, are invited to inquire at 708-524-4856.

Butting in

Rob M. Rung of 18660 Judy Dr., Gurnee, is among a group of art and design students at Southern Illinois University Carbondale who came up with prototypes for new outdoor ashtrays and clever printed materials urging smokers to clean up their acts. The students were activated by a report that 100,000 cigarette butts are tossed on the campus every year. Among the creations were a Saluki "dawg" paw ashtray and ashtrays shaped like tree trunks. Rung is a senior majoring in visual communication.

One man's family

Household traffic will be coming and going over the Christmas season as gram and gramps share the holidays with family members, just like we hope our readers will be enjoying. Season's greetings to all.

Winning formula: Care for people, employees

Besides taking care of people worldwide, Abbott Laboratories takes care of its employees, here in Lake County and wherever Abbott products are manufactured.

With a history of caring for its people and top-notch employee relations, Abbott Laboratories was recognized in the latest issue of "Money" magazine for having one of the country's top 10 employee benefit packages, ranking No. 6 on the magazine's eighth annual list of Best Company Benefits.

At a time when many companies have been forced to cut benefits, Abbott was recognized for continuing to offer its employees generous 401K, profit-sharing, and pension

plans, along with outstanding health, vacation, wellness and work/life policies and programs.

To determine its annual list, "Money" surveys the Fortune 200 companies about their benefits and compensation programs including retirement plans, vacation policies, medical and dental insurance and other benefits. A ranking of the top 75 companies is published in the magazine's December issue.

"This ranking validates our ongoing commitment to, and investment in, our employees," said Miles D. White, Abbott's chairman and chief executive officer. "As a global health care company, we strongly believe that build-

ing our talent pipeline is just as important as strengthening our product pipeline."

Abbott recently announced several significant benefit enhancements, including an enhanced stock retirement plan with an improved company matching formula (the company now matches 5 percent for an

employee contribution of 2 percent). The company also improved and simplified its cash-profit sharing plan; increased its vacation policy; and strengthened its adoption assistance benefit. In addition, Abbott has enhanced its part-time benefits, launched several new child care and work/life programs, and increased its investment in employee

training and development.

Abbott says employees return the investment through increased productivity, innovative thinking and loyalty. More than 2,000 employees have over 25 years of service, and this year, Abbott expects to receive more than 200,000 applications for employment in the United States alone.

Abbott Laboratories is a global, diversified health care company devoted to the discovery, development, manufacture and marketing of pharmaceuticals, nutritionals, and medical products, including devices and diagnostics. The company employs approximately 70,000 people and markets its products in more than 130 countries.

COMMENTARY

PARTY LINES

PARTY LINES, THE LAKELAND NEWSPAPERS' COLUMN OF POLITICAL OPINION, IS PREPARED FROM STAFF REPORTS.

Chairman enjoying Democrat skirmishing

Democrats are plowing gamely into new territory in the 2002 elections—open primary campaigns. Most noticeable will be picking a nominee for governor. At least three candidates will be on the Democratic ballot for governor in the March primary.

Closer to home, new political interest will be generated in the Lake County Democratic primary where three contests are a certainty. Redistricting is the key to new found Democrat interest in the nominating process over time-honored slate making.

State Sen. **Terry Link** (D-Vernon Hills) Lake County Democratic chairman, suddenly has fallen in love with primary skirmishing. Primary contests draw attention. Primary campaigning invigorates the faithful. The only downside for Link is that his party is beginning to resemble the enemy.

A wide-open field is predicted for the Democratic nomination for the newly created County Board Hispanic seat in Waukegan. Butting heads for the right to represent the county seat in the new 60th House District will be former North Chicago Mayor **Jerry Johnson** and activist-broadcaster **Eddie Washington**, who have filled nominating petitions. State Rep. **Susan Garrett** (D-Lake Forest), seeking to become a senator from the new 29th Senate District along the North Shore, will have competition from Atty. **Chris Cohen** of Glencoe.

Don't look for competition in the primary, though, for **Kathy Ryg**. The new 58th House district, which squiggles from Vernon Hills northward along the outskirts of Waukegan, was crafted to insure election of a Democrat. Link will be making certain no one tampers with the script to get Ryg to the November ballot.



Ryg:
Smooth course
charted by Demo
map makers.



Cole:
Primary target
for pro-growth
GOP forces.

League certified

A Democrat with League of Women Voters credentials has signed up to retain a safe County Board seat in Highland Park. She is **Anne Flanigan Bassi**, a certified public accountant. Bassi will be replacing veteran County Board representative **Robert "Bob" Buhai** who is retiring from active politics.

GOP crossroads

Festering relations between independent Republicans on the Lake County Board and the regular GOP wing could break into fracture in the 2002 primary. County Board Rep. **Larry Leafblad** (R-Highland Lake) is livid over the reported plans of political activist Jack Martin to support primary competition for Leafblad and Rep. **Sandy Cole** (R-Grayslake). Martin, an unbridled supporter of growth and development, finds constant irritations in policies advocated by independent Republicans to foster conservation, preservation and controlled growth.

"It's time the Republican party realizes

that Martin is not good for our party or the future of Lake County," Leafblad declared.

Kirk booked

Congressman **Mark Kirk** (10th-Ill.) has been booked as guest speaker for the Monday, Jan. 21 meeting of the Legislative Breakfast Club sponsored by State Rep. **Andrea Moore** (R-Libertyville). Kirk and his wife have established their permanent residence at Fort Sheridan, which is close to the center of the Shore Line district he represents.

Youth commission

Ela Township Supervisor **Kim Tineralla** is considering formation of an Ela Youth Commission in response to a call for expanding Lake Zurich area youth programs.

Confirmed candidate

Atty. **Robert "Bob" Rolek** confirmed reports that he is a candidate for election to revised District 13 of the Lake County Board. Rolek, a Republican, is running on a platform of "new faces, new ideas." The mostly Lake Bluff-Lake Forest district is a combination of districts formerly served by **John Schullen** of Libertyville and **Mary Beattie** of Lake Forest. Schullen announced that he will not seek reelection. With an extensive background in local government, Rolek formerly served as executive director of the Round Lake Area Park District.

More announcements

Donald Bauer, County Board, 6th District; **Marilyn Sindles**, state representative, 51st District; **Ed Sullivan Jr.**, state representative, 51st District; **Ed Kelly**, state representative, 51st District; **Tom Adams**, County Board, 21st District; **Ed Soto**, County Board, 11th District.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A 'Just war'

The current military conflict against terrorism, in my mind, meets all of the criteria for "Just War." I support the U.S. government and our allies as they seek to destroy terrorist networks, funding, training, locations, and individuals guilty of perpetrating the disasters for Sept. 11, the bombing of the embassies in Africa, the suicide attack on the U.S.S. Cole, the 1993 bombing of the World Trade Center, and any and all terrorist acts against our government, property and people. Tragically, signs of weakness at this point would only encourage further attacks.

I disagree with those whose main concern is that everyone like us. That is an unrealistic view of human behavior, now or ever. History has shown that. We must get out of the mode of blaming the victim and protecting the perpetrators of evil and violence. We must assure that we have moral, ethical and consistent foreign policy, which we have not had in sometime in the Middle East. We must support our strongest ally in the region and that is Israel, against those who would destroy her.

I pray that our government works responsibly with all world leaders to rid the world of the threat of terrorism. Perhaps this working together for peace will bring together world leaders to promote peace and harmony around the world. God's grace and peace to all of you.

Rev. William G. Owen
Grayslake United Protestant Church

Challenge legitimate

I want to congratulate Lake County Coroner Barbara Richardson along with the other concerned citizens who successfully challenged the Lake County Board's attempt to redistrict a county board map that was clearly indefensible.

The County Board's claim that this challenge was politically motivated was, as Harry Truman used to say, a bunch of "hooey." Because this board ignored very clear parameters that should have been used to create fair district boundaries and therefore fair board representation, the only thing they can accurately claim is that they succeeded in presenting a sloppy map that was very vulnerable to lawsuits.

This board's failure to get it right the first time has cost the taxpayers big money. It has caused potential candidates running for County Board seats to delay their petition efforts, thus giving current members a huge advantage in terms of time and knowing exactly where to gather signatures. It has given at least one current board member an excuse to eliminate potential challengers by simply redrawing those challengers out of the member's district.

Ed Soto
Hainesville

Letters welcome

Letters to the editor are welcome. They should be on topics of general interest, approximately 250 words or less. All letters must be signed, and contain a home address and telephone number. The editor reserves the right to condense all letters.

TV sitcom women smarter than men?

Three of America's favorite television situation comedies have interesting things in common.

"Home Improvement," "Everybody Loves Raymond" and "The King of Queens" are about married couples with children, and the husbands are nice, decent guys.

But in all three sitcoms the wives obviously are smarter and more perceptive than their mates.

In "Home Improvement," which aired from 1991 to 1999 and is now in reruns, Tim Allen plays Tim "The Tool Man" Taylor and Patricia Richardson plays his wife, Jill. In each episode, the basis for much of the humor is her nimble wit, her put-downs and her efforts to keep klutzy Tim from trying to fix things around the house.

"You are so pathetic," she tells him.

"I've been thinking," says Tim.

"What was the occasion?" asks Jill.

In another episode she says, "You know I have a job interview today. Don't you listen to me? It was the last thing I said in bed to you last night."

"As I recall," says Tim, "the last thing you said in bed to me last night was NO!"

Jill smiles sweetly and says, "You're thinking of tonight."

In "Everybody Loves Raymond," stand-up



THE PFARR CORNER

Jerry Pfarr

comic Ray Romano plays Ray Barone, a sports writer and, like Tim Taylor, is a lovable loser.

His wife Debra is played by Patricia Heaton, who won this year's Emmy for best actress in a comedy series.

In her acceptance speech she quipped, "I just want to thank God for thinking me up."

She also can thank the show's writers for giving her the clever lines that deflate her often befuddled husband.

In "The King of Queens," about a family in the New York borough of Queens, Kevin James plays Doug Heffernan, a UPS-type delivery man. His wife Carrie is played by Leah Remini. Doug and Carrie's relationship reminds some critics of the "Honeymooners" skits of the 1950s and '60s starring Jackie Gleason as Ralph Kramden and Audrey Meadows as his wife, Alice.

I have heard two critics put down "The

King of Queens" saying a sharp, attractive woman like Carrie wouldn't be married to a bozo like Doug. Nonsense, he's likable. And, as the famous Lady Astor said long ago, "I married beneath me. All women do."

While painstakingly researching this column (watching sitcoms on television) it occurred to me how differently women are portrayed now compared to the 1950s when Barbara Billingsley was June Cleaver in "Leave it to Beaver," and Jane Wyatt was Margaret Anderson in "Father Knows Best."

Those ladies would never zap their husband's ego with a well-deserved zinger. Besides, back then most of the dads were portrayed as wise and reliable, and the actors, such as Hugh Beaumont and Robert Young, didn't come from the stand-up-comic ranks.

Women's current roles in sitcoms merely reflect how real-life relationships have progressed. Fred Barron, creator of "Caroline in the City," says women are funnier than men and use words in a much more intelligent way. The trend was under way in the 1980s when "Cheers" was so popular. Remember?

Sam: "Diane, a thought just crossed my mind."

Diane: "A thought can't cross your mind, Sam. The bridge is out."

Things that don't add up—on the business page

Will Rogers used to say, "All that I know is what I read in the newspapers." It gave him a lot of "grit" for what he wrote. He'd say that sometimes he felt kind of stupid because things didn't always "add up." That's the way I feel.

For example, one day four different things, all on one business page, confused me. First was the headline "Motorola: China relationship saves jobs." Evidently, Motorola is investing \$6.6 billion more in China.

Motorola isn't the only U.S. company targeting the large China market. Other American corporations are making gains in the global market by keying on the China market. I understand all of that.

But, I'm sure that there are many who don't understand it. Like the almost 40,000 Motorola employees worldwide who have recently lost jobs at the company. Many of the layoffs have been in the metropolitan area,



SEEING IT THROUGH

John S. Matijevich

such as at the Libertyville plant. To them, none of this "adds up."

Then there was the article about Boeing Aircraft. You might remember. That's the company that received large tax breaks to move its corporate headquarters from Seattle to Chicago.

The article announced that Boeing gave layoff notices to almost 3,000 of its employees as part of a plan to cut 30,000 workers by the end of next year. When the company received the tax breaks after its headquarters move, I

said that it just didn't "add up." Now, I'm even more confused over the "give away."

On the same page, I read that Baxter International closed plants in Sweden and Florida as an aftermath to its manufacture of blood filters linked to more than 50 deaths of kidney dialysis patients. Closing the plants isn't enough.

This matter should extend far beyond the business pages. When someone takes a life, it's murder; it's a criminal matter. Surely, when over 50 lives are taken by what appears to be a defective product, there should be some criminal liability. Most of us know someone who relies on dialysis as their "lifeline." Such patients already suffer enough.

Finally, there's the "ups and downs" of Enron. The world's largest energy trader went into a freefall. Less than a year ago, Enron was a Fortune 500 company, near the top, worth almost \$90 a share. The last I heard it was down to 25 cents, sliding into bankruptcy.

What happened?

They say that is all about bad accounting and poor management. It is alleged that "someone" has overstated Enron's income by almost \$600 million over the last four years. One thing is certain. Someone knowingly took the shareholders for a "ride." Again, this is a matter that, in the future, must appear on pages covering criminal matters as well as the business pages.

I hope that, when they write the final chapter, this ends up differently than the savings and loan mess. There's no way that we taxpayers should get stuck to bail out the Enron mess like we did with the savings and loan scandal. They knew what they were doing, and there should be no easy-out for them.

So, these are some of the things that don't "add up." It's no wonder that Will Rogers said that he often found more sense reading the funny papers, which he called the comics pages. I guess that's my next move.

Keep unwanted rodents out when the weather turns cool

With the return of cooler weather, we look forward to welcoming guests back into our homes for football games, holiday parties or to ease a case of "cabin fever." But some unwanted guests would love to come into your home, too. Once nighttime temperatures drop into the 50-degree range, rodents will begin to scurry indoors through any cracks or crevices they can find throughout your home.

And they can find many. "Rodents are excellent climbers and can fit through holes and cracks as small as 1/4-inch in diameter," says Heidi Fuentes, Research and Development manager for d-CON rodenticide. "They can find their way into a home through openings around dryer ducts, cables, water pipes or any venting that leads outside," she says. "Missing vent screens, openings behind sliding doors and gaps under the roof eaves are other ways mice and rats can enter a home." Rodents are not only unsightly, but also pose health and safety hazards. They can carry fleas and more than 40 diseases, some life-threatening. They can aggravate existing health conditions such as asthma, can contaminate food and chew through electrical wires, creating a possible fire hazard. But the rodent control experts at d-CON say there are steps you can take as you prepare your home for cold weather to prevent these unwelcome guests from entering your home.

- Keep storage areas free of litter and old newspapers. Rodents are attracted to undisturbed areas in the house and around stored objects.

- Remove fallen fruit from around trees, especially apples and citrus.

- Remove vegetation next to your house. Many rodents like plants such as ground ivy because they make good hiding places and attract snails -- a favorite food of rats.

- Don't overload bird feeders -- spilled seed attracts rodents.

- Don't leave pet food outdoors, and put out just enough food for your pet to eat all at once.

- Seal potential rodent entrances to your home with sheet metal, steel wool or cement, paying particular attention to spaces around pipes, vents and ducts.

- Wash the dishes and clean up spilled food from counters and floors. Dispose of trash and clutter. Keep all food, water and garbage in metal or thick plastic containers with tight-fitting lids.

- Wash cans and bottles with soap and water before putting them into the recycling bin, and wash the bins themselves, too.

- If you've had a problem in the past, preventive baiting in areas where rodents have been previously spotted can help avoid future problems.

But how can you tell if your home has been invaded? There are signs to look for, says Fuentes.

Homeowners should look for the following:

- Rodent droppings in undisturbed areas of the home such as storage areas, attics, garages, under baseboards and along walls. Mouse droppings are typically 1/4-inch long and black. Rat droppings are larger, usually 3/4-inch long.

- Recent gnawing of packaged goods, cardboard boxes and in areas around pipes, ducts and vents.

- Take notice if your dog or cat paws excitedly at a kitchen cabinet, the base of the refrigerator or a wall.

- Listen for scampering or gnawing sounds at night from the attic, basement, behind walls or other undisturbed areas of the home.

- Take notice of burrows or nests you spot in the ground around the outside of your home. Check pathways for tracks where you suspect mice may run.

If you see or hear any of these signs, chances are you could have a problem. In addition to cleaning and de-cluttering around the house, there are two basic ways to deal with the invaders: baits and traps.

Baits are convenient because they provide rodent control without having to come

in direct contact with the pests. They can be placed in inaccessible locations, such as under refrigerators, and are a good way to avoid contact with rodents because once the bait is eaten, the rodents leave the area to die. When used as directed, the d-CON Protected Bait Station is a safe and easy way to apply bait to control rodents. It locks securely in place to help prevent children and pets from accidentally coming in contact with the bait and it has a clear window that indicates when bait must be replenished.

If you want "evidence" that mice have been caught, traps are ideal in high-traffic areas where you see or suspect them. If mice are not caught in four to five days, move traps to a new location. The covered design of the d-CON Ultra Set Covered Mouse Trap helps homeowners avoid coming in contact with, or looking at, a dead rodent. Another option is the d-CON covered glue trap, which is easy to use and effective, containing a non-poisonous glue to trap rodents and a cover to prevent human contact with dead rodents. For the most effective rodent control, experts recommend a combination of bait and traps used on a regular basis throughout the home. Always remember to keep bait and traps out of reach of children and pets.

To get advice on rodent control from the experts at d-CON, call (800) 228-4722.



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Jeff and Karen Kuester of Fox Lake celebrated their five year wedding anniversary on Nov. 22.

They met at a meat raffle at Leisure Point Restaurant in Fox Lake, and had their first date September, 1996.

Jeff proposed in October and they were married a month later.

The couple will celebrate with a dinner at J. W. Platek's in Richmond.



Karen & Jeff Kuester

WEDDING

Joan & Ray Dolence

The wedding of Joan (Nemmers) and Ray Dolence took place Sept. 22 at Lake Villa.

Witnessing this marriage was Joan's maid-of-honor, Rochelle Joseph and Ray's best man, Joe Tunuc.

Joan is a founder of the Lake County Christian Singles group. She saw a need for an organization for the older age group of divorced, widowed or never married to share with people of similar like situations with activities to "get back into the world again."

Through the activities of this group they met with neither Joan or Ray interested in marriage, but "they made such a great impression on each other, they don't remember when they started dating."

They had all but three of their grandchildren in the wedding party. The rest of the grandchildren and both sides of their children were incorporated some way in the ceremony.



Joan & Ray Dolence

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OBITUARIES

December 21, 2001

Lakeland Newspapers/B7

Nellie E. Burkhart (nee Ferrard)

Age 89, a longtime resident of Ingleside, died Tuesday, Dec. 11, 2001 at home. She was born in Chicago, on Nov. 14, 1912, and had been an avid Chicago Cubs fan, and a longtime member of the "Diehard Cub Fan Club." She was also a member of the AARP, and a former member of the Republican Club, and the Lakes Region American Legion Post 703 Ladies Auxiliary of Fox Lake.

Survivors include many friends, including her dear friends, Jack and Kimber Klesgen of Fox Lake and by her nurse, Dahlia. She is preceded in death by her husband, Charles D. Burkhart on Oct. 28, 1989.

Burial was held at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Libertyville. Arrangements were handled by the K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home, Fox Lake (The Chapel on the Lake).

Adele L. Kapp

Age 75 of Antioch passed away Thursday, Dec. 13, 2001 at Victory Memorial Hospital, Waukegan. On Feb. 15, 1958 she married Raymond Kapp in Chicago and he preceded her in death on Jan. 12, 1995.

Survivors include her three stepchildren, Susan (Sy) Pozza of Blue Island, Shirley (Don) Jordan of Winters, Calif., and William; two sisters, a brother-in-law, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 18 at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch. Interment was at the chapel at Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Hillside. Friends called at the funeral home on Dec. 17.

Mary Ann Rockow

Age 75 of Antioch, passed away Friday, Dec. 14, 2001 at her daughter's home in Sturtevant, Wis. She had owned the Chatterbox Restaurant in Antioch. On Jan. 6, 1949 she married Norman D. Rockow in Miami, Fla. and he preceded her in death on Jan. 23, 1995.

Survivors include her daughters, Mary (Robert) Humpa of Sturtevant, Wis., Dolores (Bruce) Hoening of Pleasant Prairie, Wis. and Patricia (Tony) Bruno of Austin, Ark.; a brother, a sister, five grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

Friends called at the Strang Funeral Home, Antioch on Dec. 18.

Funeral services were held Dec. 19 at the Antioch United Methodist Church, Antioch. Interment was at the Hillside Cemetery. Those desiring may make memorial contributions to the Sturtevant Rescue Squad in her memory.

Louis W. Schumm

Age 83 of Libertyville, passed away Friday, Dec. 14, 2001 at the Condell Medical Center in

Libertyville. He married his wife, Ruth on Nov. 6, 1943 in New Kensington and she preceded him in death on June 5, 1999.

Surviving are five daughters, Barbara (Adrian) DeGroot of Corona Del Mar, Calif., Marilyn (Alan) Pomeroy of Alameda, Calif., Janet (Bill) Blum of Worthington, Ohio, Joanne (Kurt) Konrath of Inverness and Laura (Dirk) Quayle of Northbrook and 11 grandchildren.

Visitation of family and friends was at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, Libertyville on Dec. 16. Funeral services were held Dec. 17 at the United Methodist Church, Libertyville. Interment was at the Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens in Dixon. Memorial contributions can be made to the Condell Medical Center, 801 N. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, IL 60048.

Shirley M. Robinson

Age 79 of Antioch, passed away Thursday, Dec. 13, 2001 at Winchester House, Libertyville. On July 27, 1955 she married Thomas "Robbie" Robinson in Chicago and he preceded her in death on Feb. 22, 1984.

Survivors include two sons, T.J. (Patti) Robinson and Bob (Lisa) Robinson both of Antioch, a grandson and other relatives.

Friends called at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch on Dec. 17. Funeral services were held at the funeral home on Dec. 18 with the Rev. David Groleau of the Evangelical Free Church officiating. Interment was at the Hillside Cemetery. Those desiring may make contributions to the Antioch Rescue Squad or the American Cancer Society in her memory.

Samuel E. Peavey

Age 76 of Vernon Hills, passed away suddenly Monday, Dec. 10, 2001 at the Condell Medical Center in Libertyville.

Surviving are his wife, Ada and son, S. Glen (Julie) Peavey, both of Vernon Hills and daughter, Elizabeth (Greg Kieca) Deichmiller of Libertyville; four grandchildren, a great grandchild.

Visitation was at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, Libertyville on Dec. 13.

Funeral services were held Dec. 14 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, Libertyville. Interment was at the Lakeside Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to the Lakeside Cemetery Renovation Fund, P.O. Box 500, Libertyville, IL 60048.

Betty P. Harvey

Age 74 of Round Lake Beach passed away Monday, Dec. 17, 2001 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville.

She leaves her daughter, Sandra (William) Collier of Round Lake Beach; grandchildren and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband, Merle Harvey in 1975; and her parents.

Friends of the family visited on Dec. 19 at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium Ltd., Grayslake. Funeral services were held Dec. 20 at the funeral chapel with the Rev. Lisle J. Kauffman of the Calvary Presbyterian Church of Round Lake officiating. Interment followed at the Wheeling Township Cemetery in Arlington Heights.

Debs H. Pelkola

Age 87 of Grayslake passed away Monday, Dec. 17, 2001 at the North Chicago VA Center.

He leaves his son, Terry (Nancy) Pelkola of Villa Park; grandchildren and other relatives. He is preceded in death by his wife, Lila S. Pelkola on July 31, 1998.

Friends of the family visited at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium Ltd., Grayslake on Dec. 18.

Funeral services were held Dec. 19 at the

funeral chapel with the Rev. Lisle J. Kauffman of the Calvary Presbyterian Church of Round Lake officiating. Interment was Dec. 18 at the Memory Gardens Cemetery in Arlington Heights. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 777 N. Central Ave., Highland Park, IL 60035.

Orville L. Burkey Jr.

Age 50 of Wauconda, passed away Wednesday, Dec. 12, 2001 at his residence.

He leaves his wife, Laurie (nee Stahl) whom he wed on July 4, 1988 in Las Vegas, Nev.; son, Dillon Burkey of Wauconda; his mother, Delma Burkey of St. Charles and other relatives.

Memorial services were held Dec. 15 at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium Ltd., Grayslake. Visitation was held at the funeral chapel on Dec. 15 until the time of services. Interment was private.

Funeral Directory

JUSTEN'S ROUND LAKE FUNERAL HOME
222 N. Rosedale Court
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(847) 546-3300
Nancy Justen & Mark Justen,
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12 N. Pistakee Lake Rd., Fox Lake, IL
(847) 587-2100
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Dan Dugenske,
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Richard A. Gaddis,
Directors

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on 12-31-01 a sale will be held at 25050 W. Hwy. 173 to sell the following articles to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such articles for labor, services, skills or material expended upon a storage furnished for such articles at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed within ten days of the publication of this notice.
Name of person
Edward Rambert
Description of Articles
1988 Chwg Suburban & personal articles

1201C-4425-AN
December 21, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Village of Round Lake Beach Police Pension Board Meetings will be held on the fourth Tuesday of JANUARY, APRIL, JULY, OCTOBER.

At 7:00 p.m. in the conference room located at the Round Lake Beach Police Department, 1947 Municipal Way, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073.

Special meetings will be held upon order of the President. And notice of special meetings will be posted at the Round Lake Beach Police Station, forty-eight (48) hours in advance.

David E. Ostertag, President
Round Lake Beach Police Pension Board
1947 Municipal Way
Round Lake Beach, IL 60073
1201C-4434-RL
December 21, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CITIFINANCIAL MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC. f/k/a ASSOCIATES HOME EQUITY SERVICES, INC.)	
Plaintiff,)	
V.)	NO. 01CH 1772
KENNETH DOWELL, DONNA DOWELL, TMS MORTGAGE, INC. d/b/a THE MONEY STORE, Mortgage of Document Number 4453029, MORTGAGE NETWORK USA, INC., Mortgage of Document Number 4468452, NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN TENANTS, AND UNKNOWN OWNERS,)	
Defendant(s).)	

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you: NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN TENANTS and UNKNOWN OWNERS, Defendants in the above entitled suit, that said suit, that said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of LAKE County, Chancery Division, by the said Plaintiff, against you and other Defendants, praying for Foreclosure of a certain Real Estate Mortgage, conveying the premises described as follows, to wit:

LOT 5 IN JOSEPH S. HAAS SUBDIVISION OF PARTS OF LOTS 20, 22, 23 AND 24 IN LEE'S PLAT OF WAUCONDA, IN PART OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 44 NORTH, RANGE 9, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED AUGUST 26, 1927, AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 304473, IN BOOK "R" OF PLATS, PAGE 200, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Tax Number: 09-26-404-002
commonly known as 130 HUBBARD COURT, WAUCONDA, ILLINOIS 60084; and which said Real Estate Mortgage was made by KENNETH DOWELL AND DONNA DOWELL, and recorded in the Office of the LAKE County Recorder of Deeds as Document Number 4446861; that summons was duly issued out of the said court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending.

Now therefore, unless, you the said named Defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Circuit Court of LAKE County, located at 18 NORTH COUNTY STREET, COURT ANNEX, WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS 60085, on or before the 18 day of January, 2002 default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

DEC 5, 2001 Salley D. Coffelt

THIS COMMUNICATION IS FROM A "DEBT COLLECTOR". (15 USC 1692a)
M.A. Christine Lyons (x8003)
Vanessa E. Sailer (x8008)
Michael Bablo (x8006)
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1201C-4426-GL
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING COMBINED PLANNING COMMISSION & ZONING BOARD VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH

FILE NUMBER: PZB 01-12
PETITIONER: Robert E. Silhan, AICP, ALA
Director of Planning, Zoning & Building
Village of Antioch
874 Main Street, Antioch, IL 60002
Phone: (847) 395-9462 FAX: (847) 395-9482
OWNER: James Sledz
Country Pontiac Buick
Antioch, IL 60002
Phone: (847) 395-4400 FAX: (847) 395-5866
PROPERTY: The property, consisting of approximately 5.0 Acres, (former Waterfalls Restaurant), situated at the northwest corner of Illinois Route 173 and Tiffany Road; identified on the Lake County Tax Parcel Maps as PIN 02-07-400-007, 02-07-400-008, and 02-07-400-009; and legally described as follows:

PARCEL 1: A TRACT OF LAND LYING IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 46 NORTH, RANGE 10, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT: COMMENCING AT A POINT 285 FEET EAST AND 128 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID QUARTER QUARTER SECTION, AND THE NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF THE PUBLIC HIGHWAY; THENCE NORTH, PARALLEL WITH THE WEST LINE OF SAID QUARTER QUARTER SECTION 143 FEET; THENCE EAST, PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID QUARTER QUARTER SECTION 75 FEET; THENCE SOUTH, PARALLEL WITH THE SAID WEST LINE, 196.4 FEET TO A POINT IN THE SAID NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF PUBLIC HIGHWAY; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY ALONG SAID NORTHERLY LINE 91.45 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

PARCEL 2: THE SOUTH 439.72 FEET OF THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 46 NORTH, RANGE 10, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN (EXCEPT THE WEST 210 FEET THEREOF, EXCEPT ALL THAT PART OF THE SAID QUARTER QUARTER SECTION LYING SOUTH OF THE CENTER LINE OF STATE ROUTE 173 AND EXCEPT PARCEL 1 (ABOVE DESCRIBED) BUT ALSO INCLUDING THAT PART OF THE WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 7 LYING NORTHERLY OF THE CENTER LINE OF STATE ROUTE 173.

PARCEL 3: THAT PART OF THE SOUTH 375.25 FEET OF THE EAST 75 FEET OF THE WEST 210 FEET OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 46 NORTH, RANGE 10, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, WHICH LIES NORTHERLY OF THE NORTHERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF ILLINOIS STATE ROUTE NO. 173, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

REQUEST: Petitioner requests a zoning change from M-1 Special Use to B-3 Special Use.

PROPOSAL: The proposed zoning is in conformance with testimony from the owner/petitioner of the previous zoning request, file number PZB00-12, and Section 4, of Ordinance Number 01-04-16. There is no physical change to the plan as previously approved as part of the Special Use. The petition may be viewed by the public at the Office of Village Clerk, 874 Main Street.

DATE: Thursday, January 10, 2002
TIME: 7:30 P.M.
PLACE: Board Room, Village Hall,
874 Main Street, Antioch, IL 60002

All persons desiring to appear and be heard thereon for or against said petition may appear at said hearing and be heard.
Barbara L. Johnson, Chairman
Planning & Zoning Board

1201C-4428-AN
December 21, 2001

The deadline
for Obituaries
and Death Notices
is now Tuesdays
at 12 p.m.

**PUBLIC NOTICE
MECHANIC'S LIEN SALE**

Notice is hereby given that on January 22, 2002, at 10:00 A.M., a sale will be held by Devon Bank, at 6445 North Western Avenue, Room 210, Chicago, Illinois 60645, to sell the following article to enforce liens existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such article for labor, services, skills, or materials extended upon and storage furnished for such article at the request of the following designated persons(s) unless such article is redeemed with thirty (30) days of the publication of this notice.

Name: Charles Munder Co., 2771 Galilee, Zion, Illinois 60099-2499, and Katherine Turner, 2771 Galilee, Zion, Illinois 60099-2499, as recorded owners, and 1" of America Bank Northwest IL., 2612 Sheridan Road, Zion, Illinois 60099-2671, as recorded lienholder.

Description: 1990 Mercedes-Benz, Model 560 SEC, Coupe, with VIN# WDBCA45E3LA522785.

Amount Owed: \$25,235.00 as of November 30, 2001.

Article may be redeemed by payment of \$25,235.00 plus per diem at Devon Bank, Room 210, 6445 North Western Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60645 on or before Friday, January 18, 2002.

This Notice published in the Gurnee Press on December 21 and 28, 2001, and on January 4, 2002.

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December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Krause Electric
NATURE/PURPOSE: Electrical Contractor
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 320 Harvey Ave., Grayslake, IL 60030, (847) 223-8774.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Gregory R. Krause Jr., 320 Harvey Ave., Grayslake, IL 60030, (847) 223-1868. Keith Krause, 33771 Fairfield Rd., Round Lake, IL 60073.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE)**

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Gregory R. Krause
November 21, 2001
/s/ Keith Krause
November 21, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 4th day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Patricia M. Brzezicki
Notary Public
Received: Dec 6, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201C-4429-GP
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: D&B Custom Wood Working
NATURE/PURPOSE: Custom wood working to be sold at art & craft shows and stores

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 18075 W. Valley Drive, Wildwood, IL 60030, (847) 840-1865.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Donald Moberly Jr., 18075 W. Valley Dr., Wildwood, IL 60030, (847) 548-9578.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE)**

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Donald Moberly Jr.
December 13, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 13th day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Ivette M. Diaz
Notary Public
Received: Dec 13, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201C-4431-GP
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

**PUBLIC NOTICE
MECHANIC'S LIEN SALE**

Notice is hereby given that on January 11, 2002, at 10:00 A.M., a sale will be held by Devon Bank, at 6445 North Western Avenue, Room 210, Chicago, Illinois 60645, to sell the following article to enforce liens existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such article for labor, services, skills, or materials extended upon and storage furnished for such article at the request of the following designated person(s) unless such article is redeemed within thirty (30) days of the publication of this notice.

Name: Robert Turner, 16573 West Applewood Court, Gurnee, Illinois 60031-2471 and First Midwest Bank, N.A., P.O. Box 6480, Vernon Hills, Illinois 60061-6480 as recorded lienholder.

Description: 1963 Chevrolet, Model 30, passenger car, with VIN #30837AS102118

Amount Owed: \$25,235.00 as of November 30, 2001.

Item may be redeemed by payment of \$25,235.00 plus per diem at Devon Bank, Room 210, 6445 North Western Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60645 on or before Monday, January 7, 2002.

This Notice published in the Gurnee Press on December 7th, 14th, and 21st of 2001.

1201A-4407-GP
December 7, 2001
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Inspired By Him
NATURE/PURPOSE: Christian Communications - Cards, Posters, Gifts

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: P.O. Box 907, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 740-8114.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Rev. Felicia M. Wallace, 168 S. Osage Court, Round Lake, IL 60073, (847) 740-8206.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE)**

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Felicia M. Wallace
December 5, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 5th day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Adriana Lomeli
Notary Public
Received: Dec 5, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201B-4414-RL
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Rivera Window Cleaning

NATURE/PURPOSE: Window Cleaning

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 612 E. Heather Terrace, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 201-1075.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Octavio Gomez, 612 E. Heather Terr, Round Lake Bch., IL 60073.

Rosa Castaneda-Gomez, 612 E. Heather Terr, Round Lake Bch, IL 60073.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE)**

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Octavio Gomez
December 5, 2001
/s/ Rosa Castaneda-Gomez
December 5, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 5th day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Shelly Berkowitz
Notary Public
Received: Dec 6, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201B-4421-RL
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE

Fox Lake Mini Storage will sell goods for non payment from:

UNIT NO. - 40
OCCUPANT - Jeri Hansen
CONTENTS - Household goods
UNIT NO. - 79
OCCUPANT - Cindy Bockhorst
CONTENTS - Household goods

The sale will take place at Fox Lake Mini Storage, 31 South Arlington Lane, Fox Lake, Illinois 60020 on Dec. 29, 2001 at 10:00 a.m.

1201B-4422-FL
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Hebbard Media Consulting
NATURE/PURPOSE: Consulting
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 704 Sun Lake Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847) 356-3119

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Douglas B. Hebbard, 704 Sun Lake Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847) 356-3119.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE)**

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Douglas B. Hebbard
December 17, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 17th day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Richard C. Larson
Notary Public
Received: Dec 17, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201C-4432-LV
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Jordan Lake Friendship Investment Club
NATURE/PURPOSE: To benefit partners, educationally and financially by investing in securities

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 119 Midway Lane, Vernon Hills, IL 60061

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Dan Aberson, 821 Fountain View Drive, Deerfield, IL 60015 (847) 943-4175; Jane Geers, 166 Sylvan Drive, Mundelein, IL 60060 (847) 949-7275; Helen Mita, 119 Midway Drive, Vernon Hills, IL 60060 (847) 362-8256; Shiyouji Mita, 119 Midway Drive, Vernon Hills, IL 60060 (847) 362-8256; Dina Schulewitz, 204 West Park, Mundelein, IL 60060 (847) 566-6912; Ed Schulewitz, 204 West Park, Mundelein, IL 60060, (847) 566-6912; Jody Springer, 166 Sylvan Drive, Mundelein, IL 60060, (847) 949-7275; Dale Vanderwerff, 1113 Crane Blvd., Libertyville, IL 60048 (847) 362-2448; Debbie York, 43230 North Sunset Lane, Antioch, IL 60002, (847) 395-8377; Scott York, 43230 North Sunset Lane, Antioch, IL 60002, Terri Vanderwerff, 1113 Crane Blvd. Libertyville, IL 60048 (847) 362-2448.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE)**

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Dan Aberson, 12/11/01
/s/ Jane Geers 12/11/01
/s/ Helen Mita 12/11/01
/s/ Shiyouji Mita 12/11/01
/s/ Dina Schulewitz 12/11/01
/s/ Ed Schulewitz 12/11/01
/s/ Jody Springer 12/11/01
/s/ Dale Vanderwerff 12/11/01
/s/ Debbie York 12/11/01
/s/ Scott York 12/11/01

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 12th day of November 2001.

Signed and Sworn before me this 12 day of December, 2001 Mary Hendry.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Terri Vanderwerff
Notary Public
Received: Dec 12, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201C-4424-LB
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
PROBATE DIVISION

Estate of EDWARD R. ANTON,

No. 01 P 1072

Deceased.

CLAIM NOTICE

Notice is given of the death of EDWARD R. ANTON, of Grayslake, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on December 7, 2001, to JEAN M. GREGORY, of 1229 Ballantrae Place, Unit D, Mundelein, Illinois 60060, as Independent Administrator, whose attorney is RONALD RUNKLE, CLARK & RUNKLE, P.C., 236 Center Street, Grayslake, Illinois 60030.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at 18 N. County Street, Waukegan, Illinois 60085, Room C-307 or with representatives, or both, on or before June 30, 2002, which date is not less than 6 months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of any claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it is filed.

JEAN M. GREGORY
Independent Administrator
RONALD RUNKLE, Attorney
1201-4419-GL
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE

DONALD L. NEWMAN & ASSOCIATES, ATTORNEYS
11 SOUTH LASALLE STREET
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60603

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF LAKE, SS. In the Circuit Court of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, Lake County, Illinois, Lake Forest Bank & Trust Company, Plaintiff vs. David P. Harris, et al., Defendants, No. 01 CH 1184.

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you. Heirs, devisees and legatees of Bonita B. West, Deceased, Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants, defendants in the above entitled suit, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, Lake County, Illinois, by the said plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

Unit 108 in Crystal Point Condominium No. 6, as delineated on survey of the following described parcel of real estate (hereinafter referred to as parcel): Lot 3 in Crystal Point of Lake Forest, being a resubdivision of Woodview Acres in the West 1/2 of Section 28, Township 44 North, Range 12, East of the Third Principal Meridian, According to the plat thereof recorded April 14, 1970, as Document 1455893, and ratified by Document 1457371, which survey is attached as Exhibit "A" to Declaration of Condominium made by The Exchange National Bank of Chicago, a National Banking Association, as Trustee under Trust Agreement dated August 15, 1972 and known as Trust Number 23787, recorded as Document 1707917, together with its undivided 3.70 per cent interest in said parcel (excepting from said parcel all the property and space comprising all the units thereof as defined and set forth in said declaration and survey), in Lake County, Illinois, together with an easement for parking purposes in and to parking spaces nos. 42 and 43, as defined and set forth in said declaration and survey.

P.I.N.: 12-28-108-089

Common Street address: 1260 N. Western Avenue, Unit #108, Lake Forest, IL 60045
Mortgagor: David P. Harris, not personally but as Trustee on behalf of West Family Trust, an Illinois Trust under the provisions of a Trust Agreement dated December 2, 1991

Mortgage: Lake Forest Bank & Trust Company
Recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Lake County, Illinois, as Document No. 3913155

Present owners of the property are the above mentioned mortgagors. Notice is also hereby given you that the said Complaint prays for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Clerk of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, Lake County, 18 North County street, Waukegan, Illinois on or before January 22, 2002, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

Sally D. Coffelt, Clerk of Court

Dates: December 21, December 28, 2001 and January 4, 2002
1201C-4437-GL
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION III,)

Plaintiff,)

v.)

JAMES RANDOLPH INGMAN, JR., ANNIE)

L. INGMAN, NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS,)

UNKNOWN TENANTS, AND UNKNOWN)

OWNERS,)

Defendant(s).)

NO. 01 CH 1792

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you: NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN TENANTS and UNKNOWN OWNERS, Defendants in the above entitled suit, that said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of LAKE County, Chancery Division, by the said Plaintiff, against you and other Defendants, praying for Foreclosure of a certain Real Estate Mortgage, conveying the premises described as follows, to wit:

LOT 9 IN BLOCK 90 IN ROUND LAKE BEACH, SUNSET ADDITION, A SUB-DIVISION OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 45 NORTH, RANGE 10, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, (EXCEPT THE WEST 300 FEET OF THE EAST 730 FEET OF THE NORTH 434 FEET THEREOF) ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED JUNE 17, 1929 AS DOCUMENT 338546, IN BOOK "T" OF PLATS, PAGES 76 AND 77, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Tax Number: 06-17-303-009
commonly known as 1621 NORTH PARTRIDGE COURT, ROUND LAKE BEACH, ILLINOIS 60073; and which said Real Estate Mortgage was made by JAMES RANDOLPH INGMAN, JR. AND ANNIE L. INGMAN, and recorded in the Office of the LAKE County Recorder of Deeds as Document Number 3061671; that summons was duly issued out of the said court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending.

Now therefore, unless you the said named Defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Circuit Court of LAKE County, located at 18 NORTH COUNTY STREET, WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS 60085, on or before the 18 day of January, 2002 default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

Sally D. Coffelt

THIS COMMUNICATION IS FROM A "DEBT COLLECTOR". (15 USC 1692a)
M.A. Christine Lyons (x8003)
Vanessa E. Sailer (x8008)
Michael Bablo (x8006)
LAW OFFICES
LAWRENCE FRIEDMAN, P.C. - 03532
19 South LaSalle Street - 10th Floor
Chicago Illinois 60603

1201C-4436-GL
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Todd's Whitetail Taxidermy
NATURE/PURPOSE: Taxidermy and Antler Art
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 354 E. Springwood Ct., Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 265-3787
P.O. Box 867, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 778-1327
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING Todd Radok, 354 E. Springwood Ct., Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 265-3787.
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Todd Radok
December 12, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 12th day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Ivette M. Diaz
Notary Public

Received: Dec 12, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201C-4427-RL
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Shur-Lock Self Storage, Inc., 35865 N. Route 45, Lake Villa, IL 60046 will sell the personal goods from:

UNIT NO. - 21
OCCUPANT - Patricia Morales
The goods consist of Jayco Pop-Up Camper.

UNIT NO. - 300
OCCUPANT - Leanne Forrester
The goods consist of bikes, chairs, tables, microwave, aquarium, patio chairs, exercise equipment, and miscellaneous household items.

UNIT NO. - 406
OCCUPANT - Randall Jackson
The goods consist of rocking chair, bags, bed frame, ironing board, and miscellaneous boxes.

UNIT NO. - 413
OCCUPANT - Andrew Betancourt
The goods consist of Christmas tree & lights, luggage, roller skates, and miscellaneous boxes.

UNIT NO. - 614
OCCUPANT - Terri Dugan
The goods consist of 2 old dirt bikes, snow shovels, trophies, dirt bike wheels, microwave, and miscellaneous boxes.

Sale will take place on the premises on Saturday, December 29, 2001, at 9:00AM to 10:00AM. We reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Not responsible for accidents.

ROGER BRODERS, President
35865 N. Rt. 45
Lake Villa, IL 60046
Telephone: (847) 223-2400
Fax: (847) 223-8740
1201B-4416-LV
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS
NAME APPLICATION**

NAME OF BUSINESS: Oak Creek Fine Furniture and Cabinetry
NATURE/PURPOSE: Custom wood-working
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 36338 Wildwood Dr., Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847) 356-8756.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING James J. Schaffroth Jr., 36338 Wildwood Dr., Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847) 356-3024.
STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF LAKE

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ James J. Schaffroth, Jr.
December 3, 2001

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 3rd day of December 2001.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Mary Lynn Holmstrom
Notary Public

Received: Dec 5, 2001
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1201B-4415-LV
December 14, 2001
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001

Register for youth golf event

Registration forms are now available for a new sports event expected to draw young golfers from throughout the United States.

The Country Youth Classic, for golfers age 3-22, will take place June 24-26 on five Bloomington-Normal golf courses. Registration forms are available at local Country Insurance & Financial Services agent offices, or at the tournament's web site, www.countryyouthclassic.com. Entries are limited and will be accepted on a first-received basis.

Entry fees range from \$60-\$125, depending on the division for which the golfer is eligible. Recognized by the National Junior Golf Scoreboard and Golfweek, the event features:

- One day of practice and a long drive and putting contest
- Two days of golf competition
- 16 divisions with a total of 500

youth golfers from throughout the country.

Country Insurance & Financial Services is the title sponsor of the tournament.

NEW BUSINESSES

The following are new businesses located in Lake County.

D&R Electric Service, 26479 W. Fair Oaks Circle, Antioch, IL 60002. Phone 847-838-6307. Dawn Refaelov and Reuven Refaelov, owners.

Sunrise Marketing, 1266 Bradwell Ln., Ste. A, Mundelein, IL 60060. Phone 847-722-2828.

Total Security Products, 27448 N. Chevy Chase Rd., Mundelein, IL 60060. Phone 847-566-3856. Michael M. Schiff, owner.

Gregg's Furniture Repair Service, 819 Corona Ct., Round Lake Beach, IL 60073. Phone 847-546-8414. Gregory Manley, owner.

Fresh Water & Air, 349 Spring Valley Way, Round Lake, IL 60073. Phone 847-546-4803. Jose Velarde and Daina Velarde, owners.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Roberts Road Mini Storage, 4015 Roberts Rd., Island Lake, IL 60042 will sell or dispose of property for nonpayment of rent and other fees. The sale will take place on January 3, 2002 at 9 a.m. on units 212 Robert Torrez, 604 Hermann Spiegel, 701 William Manning, 805 Teri Gilchel, 1124 Theresa Rodgers, 1211 Hermann Spiegel. All contents sold to highest bidder for cash. Immediate removal required. We reserve the right to withdraw any or all property prior to sale.

1201C-4439-WL
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
FOX LAKE, ILLINOIS**

Public Notice is hereby given pursuant to a Petition on file in the Village Clerk's office of the Village of Fox Lake that a public hearing will be held on January 9, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. in the Village Hall, Fox Lake, Illinois, to hear the Petition of Thomas Crichton, owner of the following described real estate to-wit:

THAT PART OF THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 11, TOWNSHIP 45 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTH HALF OF SECTION 11 AND THE CENTER LINE OF STANTON POINT ROAD, THENCE NORTH 9 DEGREES AND 40 MINUTES EAST, A DISTANCE OF 243.13 TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES, 33 MINUTES AND 34 SECONDS WEST AND PARALLEL TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 356.20 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 9 DEGREES AND 40 MINUTES EAST AND PARALLEL TO THE CENTER LINE OF STANTON POINT ROAD, A DISTANCE OF 149.99 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE PARCEL HEREIN INTENDED TO BE DESCRIBED; THENCE NORTH 9 DEGREES AND 40 MINUTES EAST, A DISTANCE OF 267.12 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES, 04 MINUTES AND 43 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 69.00 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 10 DEGREES, 18 MINUTES AND 15 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 52.83 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 80 DEGREES, 39 MINUTES AND 6 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 136.42 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 14 DEGREES, 39 MINUTES AND 2 SECONDS EAST, A DISTANCE OF 261.89 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 5 DEGREES, 1 MINUTE AND 15 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 239.32 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 1 DEGREE, 45 MINUTES AND 33 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 146.93 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 45 DEGREES, 55 MINUTES AND 16 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 138.15 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 78 DEGREES, 48 MINUTES AND 54 SECONDS, A DISTANCE OF 197.24 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 53 DEGREES, 49 MINUTES AND 17 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 184.67 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 78 DEGREES, 58 MINUTES AND 12 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 426.26 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 17 DEGREES, 9 MINUTES AND 38 SECONDS WEST, A DISTANCE OF 574.82 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO A POINT 40 FEET DUE EAST OF A POINT THAT IS 608.15 FEET NORTH OF THE FORMER CENTER LINE OF STATE ROUTE 59 AND 462 FEET EAST OF THE WEST LINE OF SAID EAST HALF, THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 41 MINUTES AND 2 SECONDS EAST, PARALLEL TO THE WEST LINE THEREOF, A DISTANCE OF 624 FEET TO A POINT IN THE CENTER LINE OF ROUTE 59; THENCE SOUTH 66 DEGREES, 34 MINUTES AND 12 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID CENTER LINE OF FORMER ROUTE 59 AND ROUTE 59, AS NOW ESTABLISHED A DISTANCE OF 716.92 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVE; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY ON A CURVE, CONCAVE TO THE NORTHEAST AND HAVING A RADIUS OF 1,497.60 FEET, FOR A CHORD DISTANCE OF 192.26 FEET, TO A POINT AT THE INTERSECTION OF SAID CENTER LINE WITH A LINE DRAWN FROM A POINT ON THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID QUARTER SECTION, THAT IS 6.50 FEET EAST OF THE SOUTH-WEST CORNER THEREOF AND FORMS AN ANGLE OF 88 DEGREES AND 29 MINUTES (TURNED FROM EAST TO THE NORTH) WITH SAID SOUTH LINE; THENCE NORTH 2 DEGREES, 01 MINUTES AND 38 SECONDS EAST ON SAID LINE, A DISTANCE OF 331.81 FEET, TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 33 MINUTES AND 34 SECONDS EAST PARALLEL TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 8.50 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS. CONTAINING 1,248,537.69 SQ. FT., OR 28.6625 ACRES (GROSS) 1,221,165.3433 SQ. FT., OR 28.0341 ACRES (NET)

Location of property is: North Side of Grand Avenue West of Stanton Point Road
The common address is: 720 E. Grand Avenue
Petitioner is requesting the following: Amend PUD to B3 with continued outside storage

Said Petition is available for examination in the Village Clerk's office at the Village Hall in Fox Lake, Illinois

All interested persons are invited to attend said hearing and be heard.

Respectfully submitted,
Ron Stochl, Chairman
Fox Lake Zoning Board of Appeals

Dated at Fox Lake, Illinois
This 1st day of November, 2001.

1201C-4430-FL
December 21, 2001



I'm just filling in

Mrs. Claus greets guests during a Christmas party at the Pebble Brook Nursing Home in Lake Bluff.— Photo by David Krueger

Test county buildings' evacuation procedures

Lake County government officials and employees participated in a mock emergency evacuation scenario on Dec. 12, evacuating its downtown Waukegan administrative and court facilities.

Members of the county's Emergency Management Team, in cooperation with the Waukegan Fire Department, Waukegan Emergency Management Agency and Lake County Emergency Management Agency, conducted the drill.

The drill began at approximately 2 p.m., with all employees and visitors safely evacuated within 12 minutes and 28 seconds.

Goals of the evacuation drill were to evacuate all employees and visitors safely and efficiently, assemble and account for all building occupants and communicate emergency information to employees and the public, in a timely manner.

Today's evacuation drill also demonstrated the use of the Sheriff's Mobile Command Center.

"I was encouraged by employee's participation in the drill. Employee and visitor safety is a priority, and it is important that drills be taken seriously because they are a good way to prepare for a real event," said Lake County Board Chair Suzi Schmidt regarding today's drill. "I'm also pleased with the intergovernmental cooperation between the county and the City of Waukegan in participating in today's drill."

Lake County's Court and Administrative Complex in Waukegan accommodates a workforce of over 1,000 employees. Between 2,000 and 2,200 citizens visit the facility on an average workday.

"The safety of county employees and visitors is of paramount interest to all of us. It is important that we all take a stand together to ensure that everyone who works or visits a Lake County facility feels secure. Today's drill is an important step in that direction," said Sheriff Gary Del Re.

**PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION III,
Plaintiff,
v.
CARLOS R. SOSA, MARIA DE LA LUZ ARIAS a/k/a MARIA LUZ G. ARIAS,
NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN
TENANTS, AND UNKNOWN OWNERS,
Defendant(s).

NO. 01 CH 1796

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you: NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN TENANTS and UNKNOWN OWNERS. Defendants in the above entitled suit, that said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of LAKE County, Chancery Division, by the said Plaintiff, against you and other Defendants, praying for Foreclosure of a certain Real Estate Mortgage, conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

LOT 2 IN PAUL DEALIND'S SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 20, TOWNSHIP 45 NORTH, RANGE 12 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED OCTOBER 11, 1921 AS DOCUMENT 206065, IN BOOK "K" OF PLATS, PAGE 84, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Tax Number: 08-20-208-002
commonly known as 1315 GRAND AVENUE, WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS 60085; and which said Real Estate Mortgage was made by CARLOS R. SOSA AND MARIA LUZ G. ARIAS, and recorded in the Office of the LAKE County Recorder of Deeds as Document Number 4486017; that summons was duly issued out of the said court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending.

Now therefore, unless, you the said named Defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Circuit Court of LAKE County, located at 18 NORTH COUNTY STREET, WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS 60085, on or before the 18 day of January, 2002 default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

Salley D. Coffelt

THIS COMMUNICATION IS FROM A "DEBT COLLECTOR". (15 USC 1692a)
M.A. Christine Lyons (x8003)
Vanessa E. Seiler (x8008)
Michael Bablo (x8006)
LAW OFFICES
LAWRENCE FRIEDMAN, P.C. - 03532
19 South LaSalle Street - 10th Floor
Chicago Illinois 60603

1201C-4435-GL
December 21, 2001
December 28, 2001
January 4, 2002

@ LETTERS TO SANTA

Dear Santa,

I would like a baby puppy not real, and a play tiger and a mom and a dad puppy. Rudolph I like your nose.
Julietta

Dear Santa,

I would like a Jet colored Game cube, Luigi's Mansion, Super Smash Bros: Melle, Dave Mirra 2, Tony Hawk 3, 1 Indigo Game cube Controller, 1 Jet Game cube Controller, 1 Spice Game cube Controller.
Troy

Dear Santa,

This year I am going to love Christmas more then ever because I'm writing you this letter. For Christmas I would like a telescope, new shoes, an American girl doll. Troy would like a telescope, flashlight. Drew would like gum-balls, gumsuckers. I hope you come to our house this year. We all liked what you got us last year.
Love Paige 7

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a robot, a battle bot, a power ranger.
Love,

Thomas F.,
Age 5, Grayslake

Dear Santa,

May I please have a Game Boy Advance, both Zelda seasons, a Sully bean bag, a movie of D.B.Z., and a very merry Christmas.
From,

Jackie Watters

Dear Santa,

My greatest wish is having Mintendo 64, and playstation two. My next wish is having a .100 bills. Then a Dragonfly remote control car. Also R.A.D the Robot. And a super loncher. Also the move Ragrats in pars. I hope you could buy pokemon 2000 the move. I hop you could buy this stuff for Christmas.
Sincerley, Juan

Dear Santa,

May I have a game boy ltivance, a colector dolls, a slinky, harry pal.
Miranda

Dear Santa,

I want Xbox, game cube, CD player, have cool cloths, I want a catt, super smash 2, 10 pound wait.
Love Barton

Dear Santa,

I have a few things I would like. I would like a small remote control truck, size one ski boots, book marks, knot key chains, real dog, and a camera. I really want a dog but I want her to be trained! And a surprise box. I want ski boots because my old ones broke. I also want the dog with a cage and food.
Love Barton

Dear Santa,

I would like all families to be together.
Love Dagny 6

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My Santa List,

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Emily Wickenkamp

Dear Santa,

Im wondering about christmas Evry day at school I here peppel say santa clous is not real Well Santa I Think your real.

Love

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Dear Santa,

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Dear Santa,

I would like to have a happy Merry Christmas and you to have a happy Merry Christmas!

Merry X,Mas
Dana

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa I allredy got a slinky so you do not have to give me a slinky but still give me suthing for Christmas if I am good I will try to be good on christmas

Kathryn

Dear Santa,

I like the toys you gave me. and also the toys that I am going to get this christmas. I hope you happy holidays.

I Love
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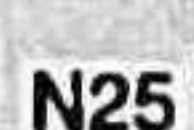
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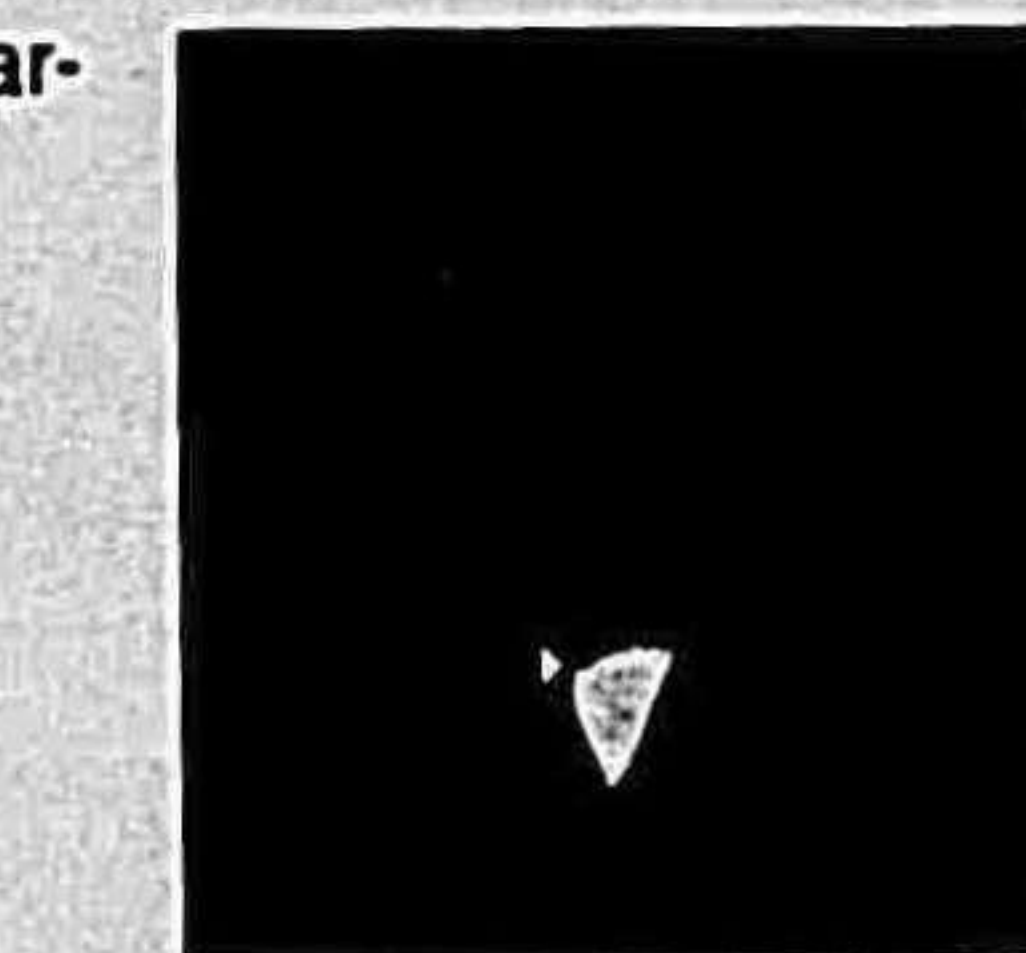
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Casey

Dear Santa Claus,

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from Allisynn

Dear Santa,

Hi, Santa this is Marisela. I'm 12 years old this year. I would like for Christmas clothes my size is M for shirts and pants M. I would also like sport cloth and sport shoes and anything also and N-sysc things.

Love Samantha 5

Dear Santa Claus,

I want you to bring me 6 things. One a bike, barby, abeor coloring book, ball, fake cups and plates. That is what I would like you to bring me for Christmas. I always send cards to santa because I love santa.

By: Yasmin

Dear Santa,

I am 5 years old and I have been a good boy all year. On Christmas Eve I'm always asleep, so you can come! Santa, I'd like a new bike because my old bike is getting too small. We got a new train for around the tree, cause on the other one the gears weren't in the right spot. Santa, I wonder, are you afraid of dogs? Santa, can you come down the chimney when our fireplace is on? Merry Christmas! And are your reindeer really shy?

Love Travis

Dear Santa,

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Love Paige 7

My Santa List,

I have not Ben Good But I am trying. I wud lice a dog and a buzz lit your. I am 6 years Old and I wud like toy drag-on ball. the end.

name Daniel

Dear Santa,

Can you please give the poor people some toys, cloths and food. Can you give my mom some flowers. She likes the colors red and yellow. How are you doing? I like you because you are nice. How is Mrs. Claws doing? Will you please give my best friend April some red and yellow flowers? I love you Santa, good bye. Thank you Santa.

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Love Paul

Dear Santa,

This year I have been a very good girl. This year I would like a puppy, a baby sister, a pair of queen slippers, anything leopard and anything with stars on it.

Your Friend, Samantha

Dear Santa,

I love you! I want a slushy maker and a cotton candy maker. I would like something to paint. Does Rudolph's nose really light up? Do reindeer's really fly? I have been a good boy. I help my mommy clean. I dust, clean windows, and lamps and glass table. Hope you like my cookies and milk.

Love Kevin 4



Dear Santa Claus,

Thank you for the presents last year. I liked them alot. The main things I want this year are Kit the american girl doll, twilight outfit and accessories, urban outfit and accessories, american girl cards and Kirsten for my friend Lindsey and a Hello Kitty lead pencil for my teacher Miss Watson and I also want girl legos.

Sincerely, Stephanie

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a Disney pack, gooze, barbie house, operation, coloring book, markers, sleds, bike, silly six pins.

Love Rylee

Dear Santa Claus,

I am wishing for a polaris snowmoniel, a motor bike, a pair of cowboy-boots, a remote controlled truck, a mime tractor trailer go-kart., a boom box, a wak man cd-player. Kid rock the new CD, a small 4 wheel-er, a Dyno bicycle, a cell phone with caller ID and call waiting, a pack of two way radios, the cobra kind. I would be nice if you could get me some of these things.

Sincerely, Stephanie

Dear Santa,

I would like some stuff for Christmas. Goosie, silly six pins, snowboard, perfection, mouse trap, skater, bike, pokemon puzzle, mario tennis. Can you get some things for my cat and dog also.

Love Jacob

Dear Santa,

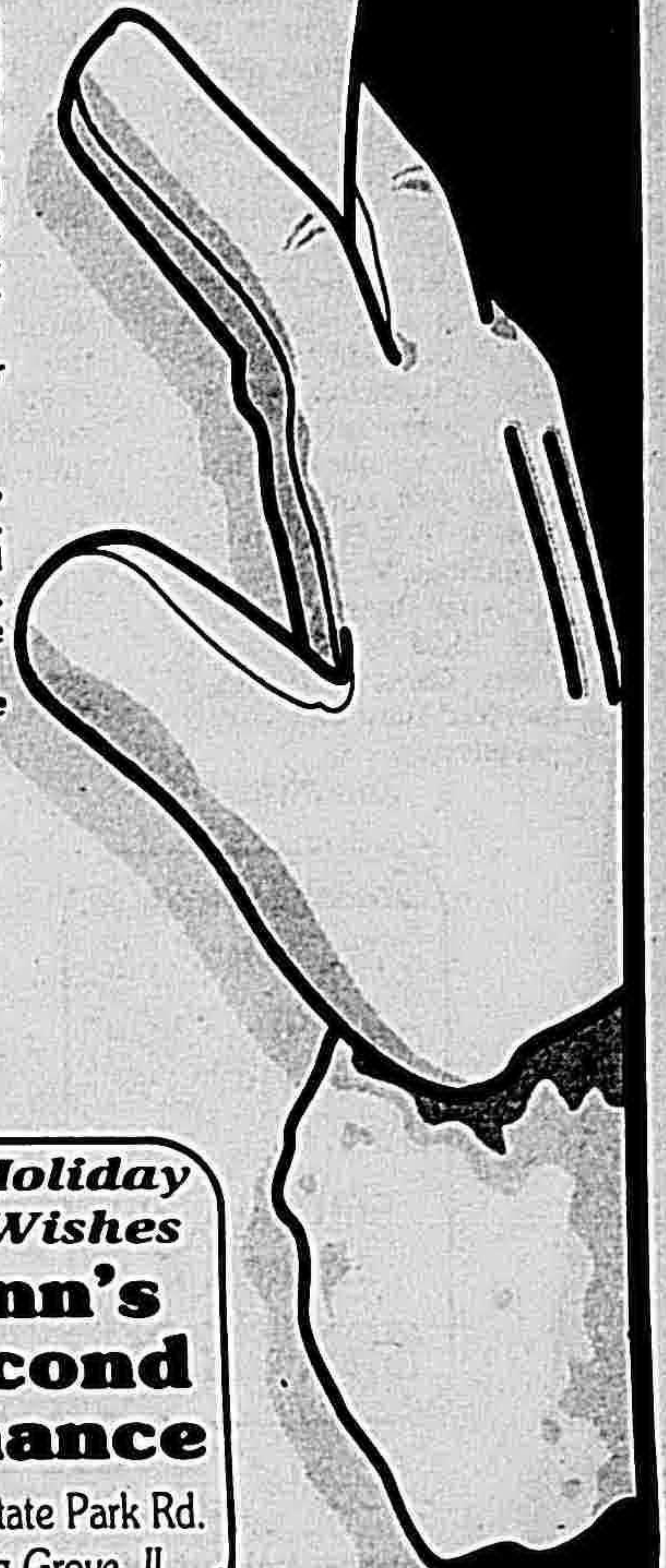
It's me Spencer. Just wanted to drop you a quick note on what I'd like for Christmas. I'd really like: 1. Tekno-it's that fake dog 2. a scooter 3. Pokemon 2000 and toy story 2 Do the best you can. I'll have cookies, and milk waiting for you.

Thanks dude, Spencer

Dear Santa Claus,

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Love Mallorie 8

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a puppy. And a baby sister. I am Christian. And I am 7 years old. And I want a toy car.

Love Christian

Dear Santa,

I wonder if you could bring me 3 presents. I want barby. Clothes for the barbie. small little chair. I wonder if you could bring me those three presents.

By Sandra

Dear Santa,

I would like a CD player, easy-bake oven, barbie cloths, chicken run game, fantasia 2000, barbie jewelry box, lava lamp, lip smacker, barbie house, Angelica, and stationary, for Christmas.

Thank you, Karina

Dear Santa,

I hope you had a happy Thanksgiving. I hope you come here. I would like to have a scooter, some magic tricks, and some candy.

Love Nolan B. 6

Dear Santa,

I am wishing for a New bike, roller blades, my own play station, a pear of cow girl-boots, a new stroller, a radio that play CDs. I want a R. Martin, S. Deone, CC. Augara, Back Street boys CD, & Nycnc CD, A sell phone, that is a light green cobr, my own home phone that is a purple color

Thank you, Nikole

Dear Santa,

What I would like for Christmas is a scooter, drawing book, socks, shcs, barbie sets, barbie cloths, a new tire for my bike, glass dolls, gell pens, barbie car, puppy, snake, body wash, candles, Harry Potter, witch-es book of worm, nail kit, gift certifiikit, teddy bear, bowling, football, soccer, & basketball. That's all I want for Christmas this year.

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Love Nicholas

Dear Santa,

I want you to see my tree in my room. I am always good. I would like something for the baby in my mommy's tummy and I want a computer, Clifford Dog, Fire truck and a Tool Bench to help my Papa while he's sleeping in his chair. I'll leave you food if your hungry - milk too.

Love Ireland

Dear Santa,

My name is Jameson and I am in second grade. I am nice to my brothers and I treat everyone nice. For Christmas I would like to have a video game and drums. Don't forget to dress warm.

Love Jameson

Dear Santa,

I would like a baby sister in -stead of presents, please Santa. Or a dog, santa please santa. Or the stanley cup. I would like a bible cover. I am nine years old.

My name is Mason.

Dear Santa,

Hi! I'm Maritza. I want 3 wishes and they are a barby, a ball, and last a coloring book. Thanks Santa Clause

Love Maritza

Dear Santa,

Hi!! I hope that you had a good year. I have been a good girl this year. I wrote a few things that I wanted this Christmas. I hope its not a problem. Amazing babies, Barbicosh register, techno puppy, amazing alley, easy bake, , dolls jumping scooby roller blades, pokemon game, cotton candy maker, pooh bear chair, sin & swing Angelica, wizard of oz dolls, power puff tent, telescope, I hope to get a few things anyway. Thank you very much.

Love Lauren 7

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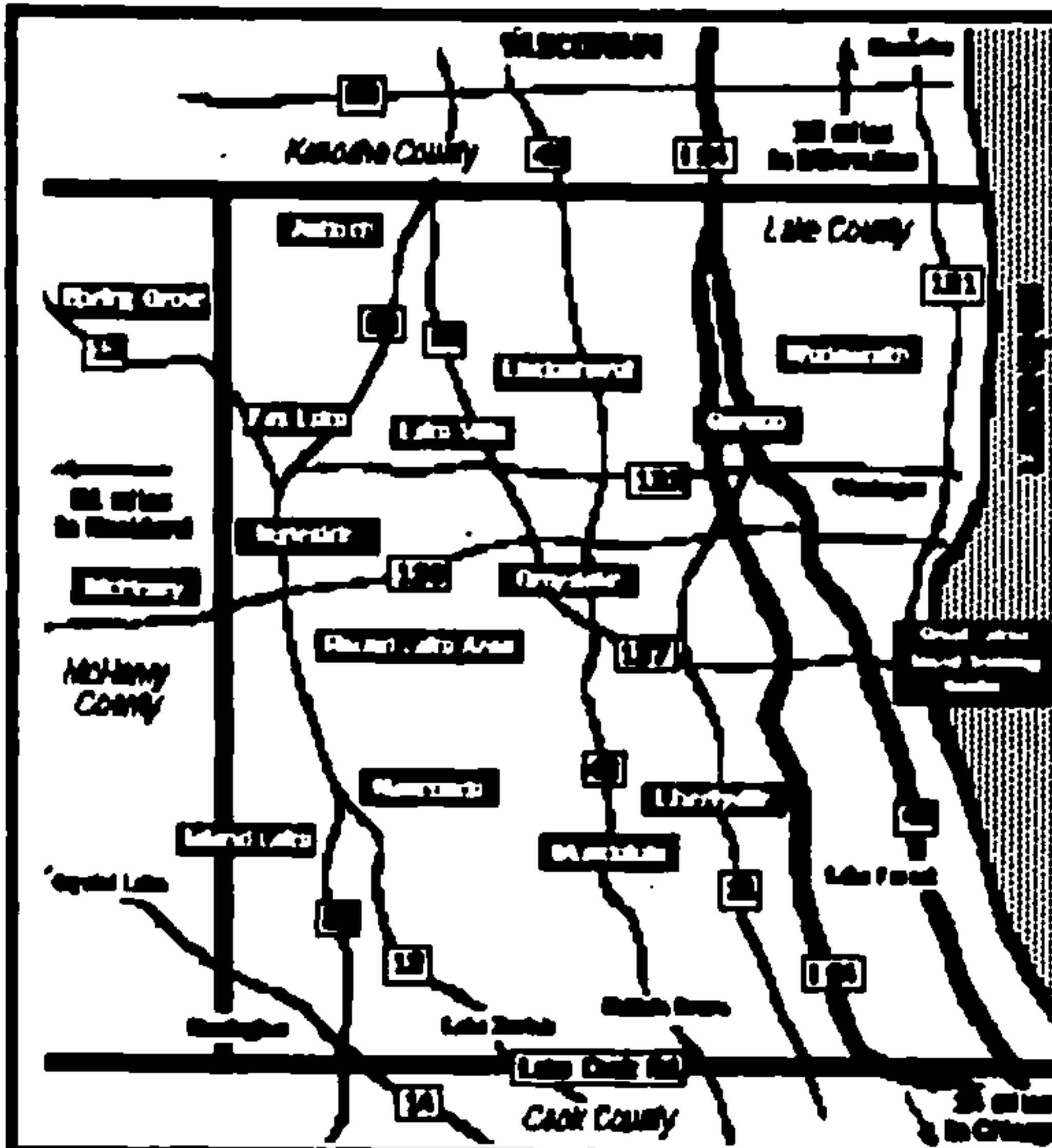


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Last week in this column, I evaluated the fine balance between truth and diplomacy. I also summarized the drawbacks of an imbalance in favor of either (undiplomatic truth or diplomatic untruth) in building relationships in the workplace. But identifying the importance of being diplomatic with the truth is only the first step in the process. The next step is to make a decision to keep them in proportion. Once that decision is made you can focus on the key components of modifying your communications patterns to accomplish the right balance.

Many of us have developed communications habits that have either focused on truth or on diplomacy, but few people have considered the balance between them. Therefore, we need to develop new patterns. Here are some helpful thoughts on the process to create those new patterns.

• In every conversation, focus more on listening than on speaking. If you listen closely, you will get an appreciation for the concern of others. That concern is the cornerstone of the sensitivity that is needed to speak diplomatically. When I train sales people I suggest that they set a goal of talking 20% of the time and listening 80%, but anything over 50% listening is a good start.

• Make sure that you understand the truth. There are many concepts in our society that are purported to be truths that are, in fact, opinion or theory. Take a strong but diplomatic stand on the truth, but be flexible with your opinion. "Deficit spending is a monetary policy" is a fact. "Deficit spending is a good monetary policy" is an opinion. Once you have made those distinctions, you can state truth with confidence and state opinion as such.

• Ask a question rather than making a statement. For example, if you felt strongly about the opinion above, it could be stated as the following question: "Would you agree that deficit spending is a good monetary policy?" This statement makes your opinion clearly, but gives room for the disagreement of others.

• Test thoughts to see if others agree that they are truth or if some people see them as opinion. This is a good technique to use with ideas that have popular consensus but no real scientific verification. An example would be "What are your thoughts on the validity of the Big Bang Theory?"

• These tools are just as useful in conversations with relatives or close personal friends as they are in the workplace. However, people in the workplace may not know you as well as family or friends. Subsequently, they are more likely to take your words literally than those who know you well and greater risk in job situations is the result. Therefore, increased care is needed in the workplace.

The balance between diplomacy and truth is often difficult, but keeping that balance is important to your effectiveness on the job.

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How To Survive The Job Search By Nancy Sakol

Q: I work for a company for the past 4 years. For the years
that I have been with the company we have always had
a big Christmas party with entertainment and wonderful food.
Our spouses or significant others have always been invited. We
always receive our Christmas bonuses on that evening and it is
a night my spouse and I have always looked forward to. I went
out and bought a beautiful dress for the occasion. Along the
first week of December people in the company were surprised
that we had not heard of the plans for the party. A few coworkers
even approached our Supervisor to see if she had heard
anything. Yesterday, it was announced by memo, that the com-
pany would be holding a holiday celebration of Friday during
the last two hours of work and that the company will be mak-
ing a donation in lieu of bonuses. The buzz around here is very
disheartening with people thinking the company is going
under. People rely on their Christmas bonuses to get them
through the holidays. Some employees are threatening to leave
the company because of it. I am trying to look at this more
realistically by saying this is a sin of the time. I hope that you
can give me and a few co-workers something to go on. Do you
see a trend this year of similar happenings among companies.
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day. That is \$10,000.00 they may not have to give this year. I
have dealt with a large percentage of companies who have cut
out their bonuses this year and have opted to make a donation in
the name of their employees instead. There is a percentage who
cut out their holiday party entirely, our company may have been
contemplating lay-off's but chose not to do so and rather cut
back on expenses. Thus having the best interest of their employ-
ees in mind. So, to those co-workers of yours who are threaten-
ing to leave the company, they should be a bit more realistic in
knowing what the job market is actually like before they make
those comments. You never know who may be listening. That
kind of talk may be just what it takes for the boss to say... "No
problem, I'll accept that resignation." Instead of thinking the
worst of your employer, tell your co-workers that they should be
thankful their employer managed to think of his employees by
not cutting back on their jobs in a time when so many people are
without work during the holidays. When it comes to bonuses and
holiday festivities, nerve assume! That way you could nerve be
disappointed.

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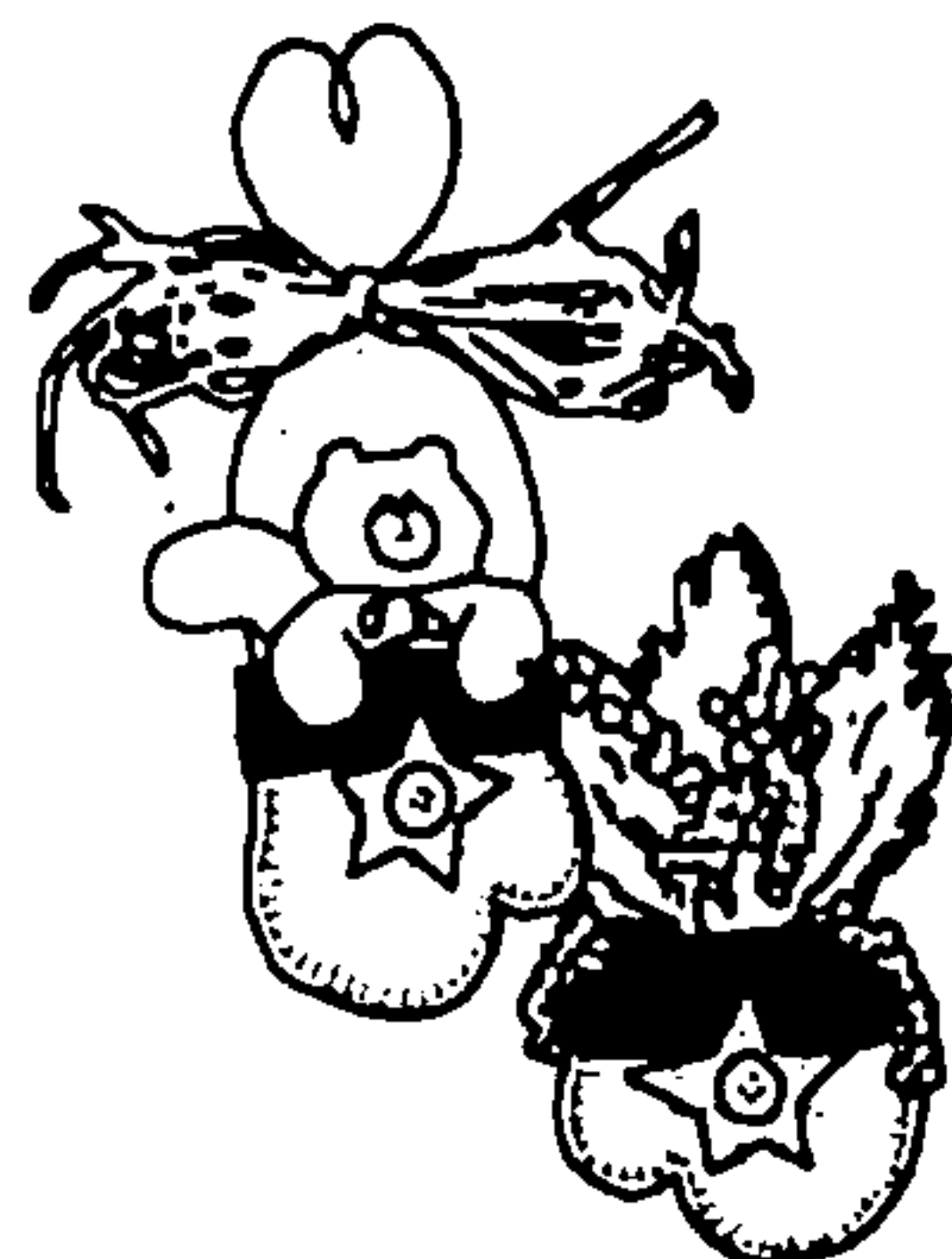
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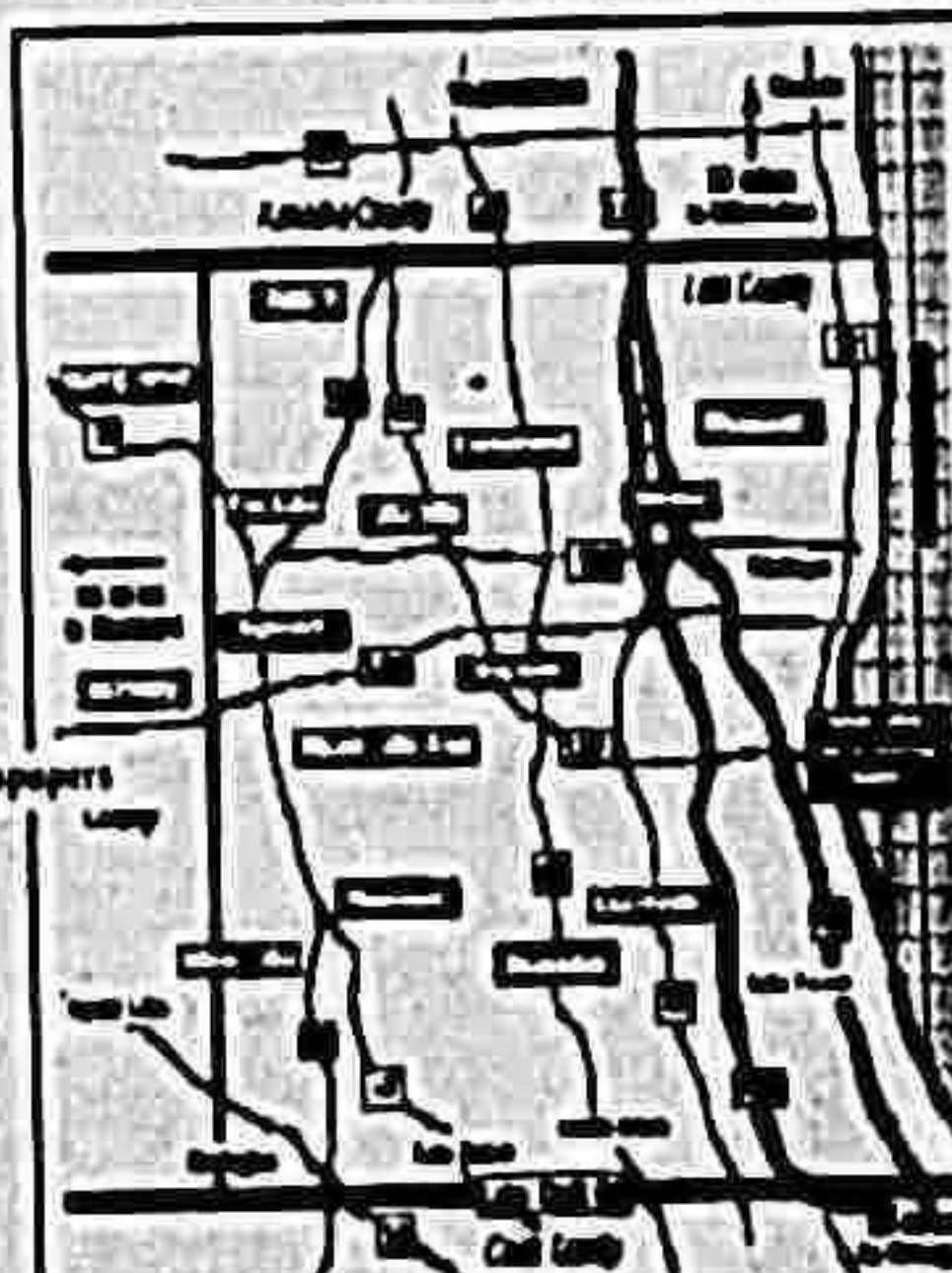
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Dennis, anyone?

Gurnee trio
represents future
for area tennis

By ROB BACKUS
Staff Reporter

Usually, if you wanted to see the top tennis players in Lake County, you might have to travel to Lake Forest or Winnetka along the North Shore.

However, the future can be seen on display at Woodland Elementary School in Gurnee.

Denis Bogatov, age 11, Dennis Nevolov, 12, and Dennis Polyakov, 13, are all nationally-ranked players with the United States Tennis Association (USTA).

Bogatov, a fifth-grader and the youngest of the trio, first started playing tennis at age 4 with his father, Victor.

"I started tennis because my dad liked it," said Bogatov. "He took me out and started teaching me how to play. Gradually, I got better and better."

In Bogatov's seven years on the tennis court, his play has proven him to be one of the best 12-and-under players in the Midwest.

Bogatov is currently ranked No. 24 nationally in the 12- and-under age group, ninth in the Midwest and fourth in the Chicago district. His most recent successes include a second-place finish at the Rush-Copley Healthplex Fall Junior Open, a third-place showing at the Midwest Designated Sept. Series and a first-place effort at the Barrington Boys 12 and the Midwest Designated Oct. Series.

Bogatov practices at the College Park Athletic Club in Bannockburn where he receives lessons once a week from Ben Dicknese.

"Ben has taught me a lot of technique and how to hit different strokes," said Bogatov. "But I usually work with my dad."

In the future, Bogatov hopes to play professionally on the ATP circuit.

"I really want to be a professional (tennis player)," he said. "Or at least a coach."

In the near future, Bogatov is excited of possibility of playing with Nevolov and Polyakov at Warren Township High School.

"It's pretty cool to have three players so good in one school," said Bogatov. "I think we'll have a pretty good high school team."

The middle of the trio, sixth-grader Dennis Nevolov, is the most accomplished of the three. Nevolov is currently ranked No. 16 nationally (12- and-under), third in the Midwest and second in the Chicago district. His rapid rise in the various rankings was due to an extremely successful 2001 campaign.

Nevolov's top accomplishments this year included: a third-place showing in the 12- and-

under Midwest Designated Jan. Series; a third-place effort in the Super National Hard Court Championships with Chicago's Donald Young, the No. 1 nationally-ranked player in the 12- and-under age group; a second-place effort with partner Eric Spector at the Midwest Closed Championships; and a first-place finish at the Midwest Designated March Series. Nevolov also finished first in the Eddie Herr International Junior Championships with Young. What's amazing is that Nevolov, while being the most accomplished of the three, has been playing tennis the least amount of time.

"I just started to play with my older brother (Jeff) and my dad (Michael) and I liked it a lot," said Nevolov, who practices at the Libertyville Tennis and Fitness Club with Coach Mark Bey. "I still play my dad sometimes but he's too easy."

Although Nevolov has only been working with Bey since moving from Massachusetts last year, he has learned a lot from the 1999 USTA Midwest Coach of the Year.

"He (Mark) has taught me how to be a winner and also how to keep a good attitude," said Nevolov. "He also taught me how to play all aspects of

the game. I'm much more well-rounded now."

Bey is also quick to sing the praises of Nevolov.

"His progress is because of three factors," said Bey. "He has natural athletic ability, he gets a lot of competition from his twin brother David and deep down, he wants to be very good."

Bey also coaches other nationally-ranked tennis players including: Polyakov, Libertyville's Samantha Kintzel (age 13); Vernon Hills' Christopher Speer (11); and Mundelein's Christina Minor (13).

"He (Nevolov) wants to go out there and outplay kids, not just win," continued Bey. "That's not characteristic of players his age. He should be one of the top players in the U.S. very soon."

Nevolov is also excited about the trio's future at Warren.

"I feel good for Warren," he said. "It's going to be great having three really good players on one team."

The oldest of the trio, Dennis Polyakov, an eighth-grader, has also been playing tennis since he was seven.

"It was just a coincidence," said Polyakov, who found the idea to play tennis in a newspaper. "I was just looking for a new sport to play."

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Denis Bogatov, 10, a fifth-grader at Woodland Intermediate School, Dennis Polyakov, 13, an eighth-grader at Woodland Middle School, and Dennis Nevolov, 11, a sixth-grader at Woodland Middle School are all nationally ranked tennis phenoms.— Photo by Sandy Bressner



Local support for Sept. 11 victims

Employees and members at CCCU Contribute

Since the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks on the United States, many thoughtful citizens have been moved to make contributions to assist their fellow Americans in New York, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C. Consumers Cooperative Credit Union encouraged that sentiment by matching all donations received from their members and employees in support of the 9-11 Disaster Relief Fund. The Credit Union recently delivered a check for the fund to the United Way of Lake County.

"Consumers Cooperative Credit Union is very proud of the spirit of giving demon-

ed by our members and employees," according to Bill Reidel, Credit Union President. "In the days immediately following the terrible acts of Sept. 11, many folks expressed a desire to contribute to the relief effort. I am pleased to announce that Members donated \$406.51 and employees donated \$1,832.50 and that Consumers matched their gifts by adding another \$2,241.01, bringing the total contribution to \$4,482.02."

Consumers collected donations from members on Credit Union Day on Thursday, Oct. 18. Each member was invited to take a free lapel flag and was given the opportunity

to make a contribution to the 9-11 Disaster Relief Fund if they wished to contribute, which many of them did.

Karen Jarrett, Human Resources Manager at Consumers, presented the check to Doug Weber, president of the United Way of Lake County, on Nov. 29. "I was honored to present this donation to the United Way on behalf of our family of members and employees at Consumers Cooperative Credit Union," noted Jarrett. "Our employees once again demonstrated their commitment to the community, not just to Lake County, but to the nation as a whole."

A variety of funds have been established to assist victims and their families of the September terrorist attacks. One of the reasons Consumers Cooperative Credit Union chose to make their donation through the United Way is that their employees also make substantial individual contributions to this agency every year in support of the local community. "While we certainly recognize the importance of the 9-11 Disaster Relief Fund, we wanted to make sure we worked with an organization that is also focused on needs right here in Lake County," continued Reidel. "The United Way met that challenge."



Karen Jarrett, Human Resources manager at Consumers Cooperative Credit Union, presents a check to United Way President Doug Weber for \$4,482.02. \$2,241.01 was donated by CCCU members and employees, after which CCCU matched that amount with another \$2,241.01.

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The Kenosha Professional Police Association dispersed their portion of the fund as direct payments made to the families of the 23 fallen New York City Police Department officers and the 37 fallen Port Authority of New York and New Jersey Police Department officers.

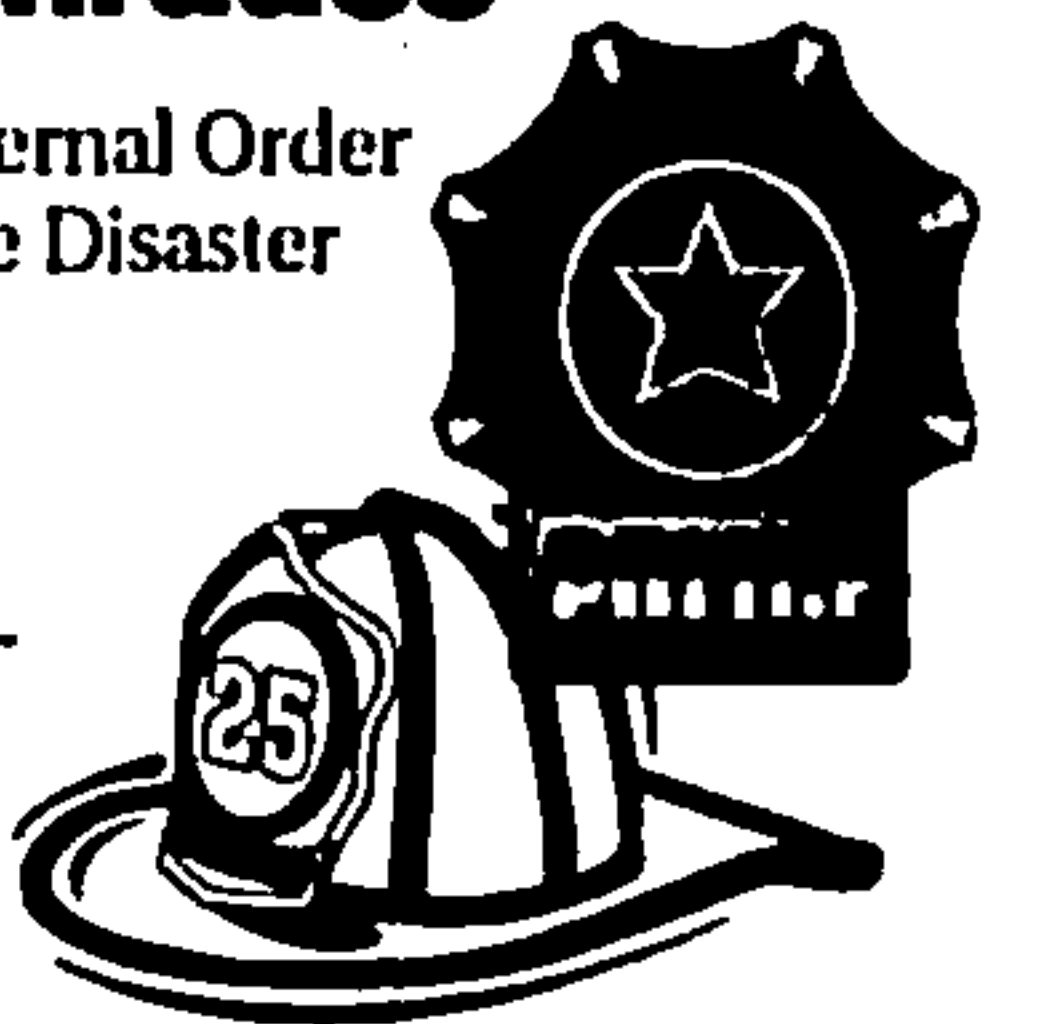
The next of kin information for the other 10 fallen officers could not be obtained. Donations were made in their names to the

New York State Fraternal Order of Police WTC Police Disaster Relief Fund.

Kenosha Fire Fighters Local #414 dispersed their portion of the fund to the New York Fire Fighters 9-11 Disaster Relief Fund sponsored by the International Association of Fire Fighters (I.A.F.F.). The proceeds from this fund will go directly to the families of the fallen New York fire fighters and EMS personnel.

The police officers and fire fighters of the City of Kenosha thank all those who donated so generously to our fund.

Please direct any question to KPPA Treasurer Russell Beckman at 262-605-5269 or Fire Fighters Local #414 President Matt Loewen at 262-657-6926.



School dedicates 'Circle of Life' garden

Each and every student and staff member of the Riverwoods Montessori School joined together to plant a hyacinth and daffodil bulb garden on the school grounds in memory of the victims of the Sept. 11 attack on America and as a dedication to their families. A small ceremony was held at the "Circle of Life" garden on Nov. 9 where a plaque made by the children was placed as the garden's edge. Preschoolers, kindergartens, and elementary students, along with their teachers and the school's administrators, stood hand in hand singing songs of peace and freedom. The ceremony concluded with a song called, "Let There Be Peace on Earth and Let It Begin With Me."

Montessori students and their families donated the money to purchase the bulbs. "The 'Circle of Life' garden provided the teachers with a way to discuss these horrific events in an age-appropriate manner. For our youngest students, the plant life cycle demonstrated how life continues on in a circle," says

Lisa Kambich, assistant director. "Being a very international school, children from many cultures live together in peace and harmony here. For our elementary children, the blossoms of the many varieties of flowers in the springtime will remind them of everyone's cooperative efforts to create a beautiful garden and a peaceful community."

A variety of programs are offered at the Deerfield Montessori Schools including preschool, kindergarten and parent/child classes. Elementary Montessori school is available at the Riverwoods location and infant/toddler programs are also available. The Deerfield Montessori Schools are located in Deerfield at 1500 Wilmot Rd. and 760 North Ave; in Riverwoods at 3140 Riverwoods Rd., and in the Glenview area at 315 W. Waukegan Rd.

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'Vanilla Sky' plot both cloudy and bright



Penelope Cruz and Tom Cruise find love (or do they?) in Paramount Pictures release of "Vanilla Sky," directed by Cameron Crowe.

Apparently, this is the year of the dream-vs.-reality movie. A few weeks ago, I reviewed "Mulholland Drive," and this week, I took another trip through the Freudian jungle in "Vanilla Sky."

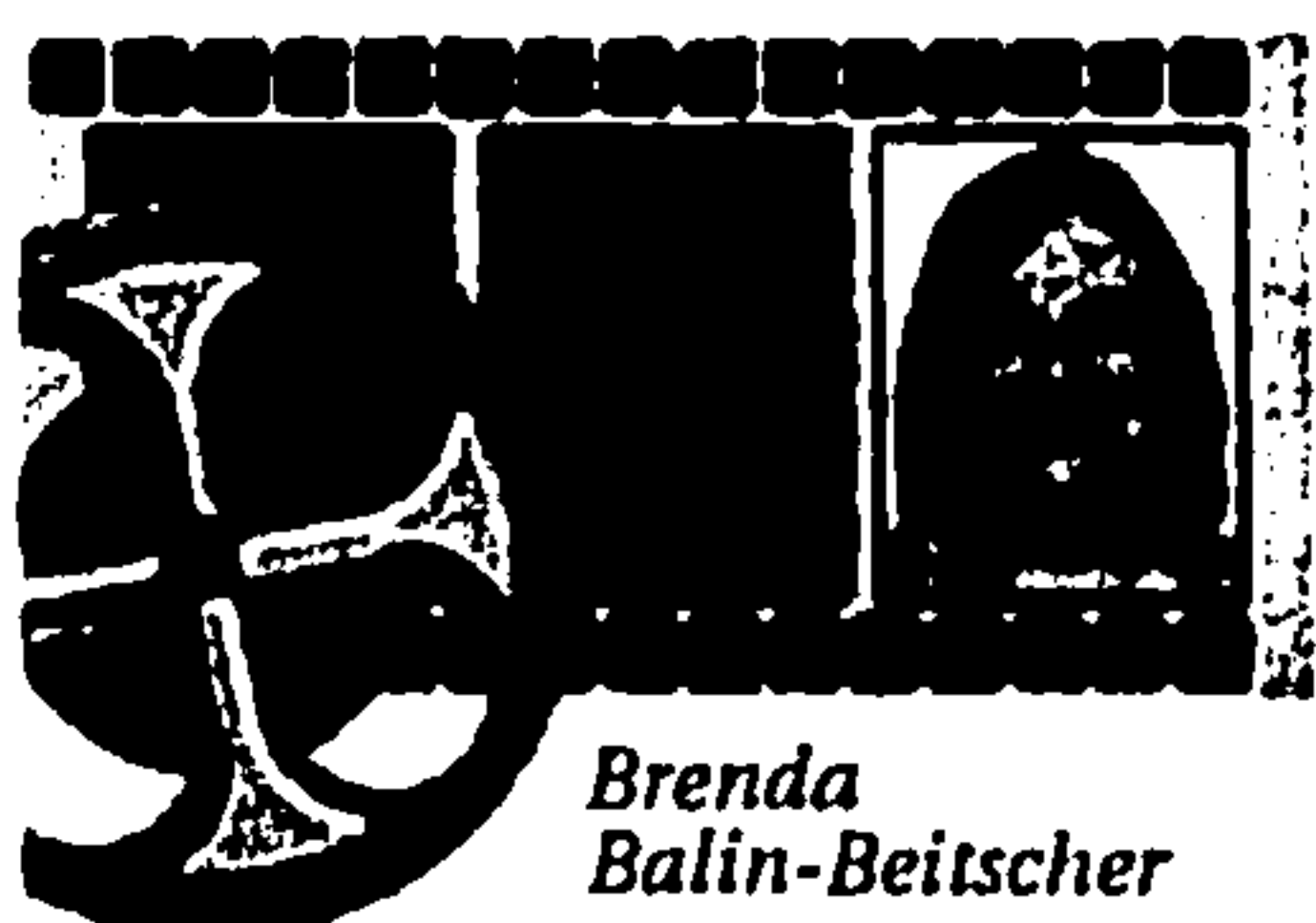
The script, slightly re-written by Cameron Crowe (who also directed it) was originally made in 1997, by Alejandro Amenabar and Mateo Gil, under the title "Abre Los Ojos" ("Open Your Eyes").

At its most superficial, it is a story about a man, who, like Fitzgerald's Gatsby, finds that everything comes to him too easily.

David Aames (Tom Cruise) is handsome, wealthy (having inherited his father's successful men's magazine), and charming. He slides through life untouched by anything of importance. He is surrounded by the allegedly finer things in life, but seems unengaged by them.

He is in what he believes is a

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casual affair with Julie (Cameron Diaz), who has decided that the relationship is more than that. He slights her by not inviting her to his 33rd birthday, where, to add insult to injury, he steals the attentions of dancer Sofia (Penelope Cruz) from his best friend Brian (Jason Lee).

Julie informs David that sex is "a promise your body makes," and gets her comeuppance by driving herself and David off a bridge. She dies, we think, and David is hideously mutilated, we think.

From that point on, forget everything you know about linear storytelling.

The response to this movie will be varied, but not ambivalent. Some will say, like the man who sat behind me in the theater, "I want my money back!" These people want the Cameron Crowe-Tom Cruise partnership that created "Jerry Maguire."

Those open to questioning reality themselves will be thoroughly engrossed and fascinated by this trip between the states of waking and dreaming.

The trailers led me (and many other people) to believe this was in the nature of a cross between "Fatal Attraction" and "Gaslight." For much of the movie, I clung to that assumption.

To my delight (and others' chagrin), the answer to the puzzle turns out to be science-fiction-based.

Like "Sixth Sense," the clues are there, if we watch for them. Without giving away too much, I'd suggest viewers pay attention to the details in this movie. Despite appearances, nothing is randomly or accidentally placed.

'No Man's Land' opens exclusively Dec. 21

**United Artists films presents
"No Man's Land," opening exclu-
sively at the Landmark Century
Centre Cinema in Chicago on
Friday, Dec. 21.**

Early one morning in Bosnia, a group of Bosnian soldiers find themselves lost in the fog between enemy front lines. As the sun comes up, Serb soldiers discover the Bosnian and attack, and Ciki, one of the Bosnian soldiers, seems to be the only survivor. He hides himself in an abandoned trench in the middle of "no man's land." When a Serbian commander sends two of his soldiers to check the trench, Ciki hides and the two Serbs find nothing, but before they leave they set up a booby trap: they lay one of the dead

Bosnian soldiers on the ground over a spring mine. As they finish the job, they notice that a rifle that was there minutes before is now missing and soon realize someone is hiding in the trench. Cornered, Ciki jumps out of his hiding place, kills one of the soldiers and wounds the other—Nino.

For a short time, Ciki and Nino are left alone in the trench. Then, to their astonishment, Cera (the Bonsian soldier lying on the mine) regains consciousness. He wasn't dead, just knocked unconscious, and if he moves, the mine will explode, killing all of them. Although Nino and Ciki are distrustful of each other, they decide they have to work together to find a way out of their dilemma. They nearly kill them-

selves in the process, but finally manage to attract their respective sides' attention. Both Serbians and Bosnians call the local United Nations base for assistance. A UN French blue soldier goes to the trench to help and is forced to turn back when his superiors threaten serious action if he does not resume his post. The film becomes a story of life, death and honor.

"No Man's Land," rated R, is written and directed by Danis Tanovich. Call 773-248-7744 for show times. The Landmark Century Centre Cinema is located at 2828 N. Clark St. at Diversey in Chicago. \$5 validated three-hour parking, located in Century Shopping Centre lot, is available. Enter on Clark Street.

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VANILLA SKY

Rating
R

Director
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Starring
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Penelope Cruz
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Kurt Russell
Jason Lee



While keeping intact most of the plot and character development of "Abre Los Ojos," Crowe, a gentle romantic at heart, manages to put his idealistic stamp on this work as well.

The acting ranges inconsistently from barely average (Cruise seems to be doing the same character he did in "Eyes Wide Shut," but with less depth) to intense and complex (Diaz shows off her range as she goes from seductive to hysterical, and makes it believable that it should be so).

Penelope Cruz, who played the same role in the Spanish original, still struggles to express herself emotionally in English, but the uncertainty translated itself acceptably into a sense of confusion in the character, as well. She seemed both wary of and attracted to Cruise's charms.

I did wonder what such a sensitive soul would find appealing in the vain character who would so callously steal his best friend's date, but that was the smallest level of suspension of disbelief demanded by this film.

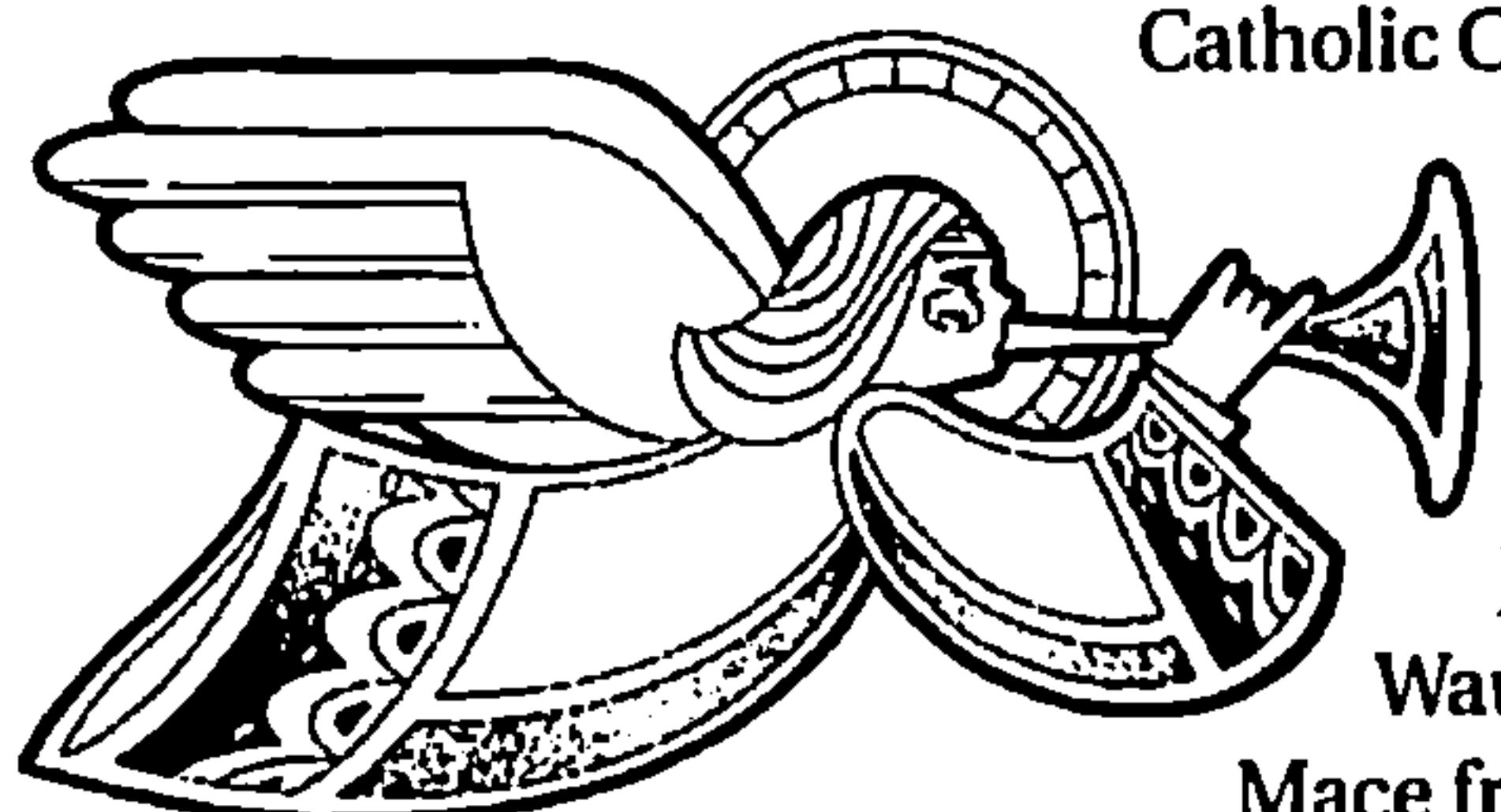
Like "Sixth Sense," once the end is revealed, one is tempted to revisit the film to watch the truth unravel in the details. Unlike "Mulholland Drive," this story does have an explanation, which may seem too glib for some and too far out for others. For me, it was just right.

Because I am the kind of mental masochist who likes having my perceptions tortured, I heartily recommend "Vanilla Sky," giving it four popcorn boxes for keeping me thinking throughout its 135 minutes.

SPECIAL EVENT

'The Messiah' to be performed in Antioch

Opening with "Comfort Ye My People" and ending with the grand "Hallelujah Chorus," the Antioch Community Chorus will present the Christmas portion of "The Messiah" by Georg Frederick Handel on Dec. 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanctuary of St. Peter's



Catholic Church, 557 Lake St. in

Antioch. The chorus is directed by Ralph Brooke from Antioch.

Guest soloists are Jennifer Layman from Waukegan, soprano; Cynthia Mace from Lake Forest, alto;

Brent Billock from Chicago, tenor; and Peter Swenson from Chicago, bass. The concert will be accompanied by Chris Kusher from Grayslake, pianist, and the Tim Montalvo String Ensemble.

The event is sponsored by Festival Arts of Antioch and admission is free thanks to donations from businesses and friends.

For any further information call 395-1333.

Top ten for visiting seniors

In light of recent world events, families are using this year's holidays as a special opportunity to celebrate common bonds. But what about elderly individuals who live alone or in nursing homes? It is always important to include these individuals in family celebrations, but this year, it is especially meaningful.

The Illinois Council on Long Term Care, a state nursing home association, offers its "Top Ten List" on how to make visits with seniors during the holiday more rewarding for everyone involved:

10. Help with holiday decorating - Visitors can help elderly individuals put up a Christmas tree, place decorations on walls, or hang up lights. For seniors in nursing homes, visitors can bring holiday decorations with them to make these individuals' room more festive and home-like.

9. Tape stories or create a life story book - Seniors have a wealth of interesting stories to share. Consider tape-recording these stories for future generations to enjoy. Or, try creating a "life story book," which would consist of photographs, announcements, newspaper clippings and text placed in a three-ring binder.

8. Bring in photo albums or other memorabilia - During a visit, consider bringing family photo albums as a way to spark conversations, including pictures of holidays past. Provide meaningful pieces of memorabilia that will elicit positive memories.

7. Assist with writing holiday cards or letters - Because of arthritis and vision impairments, many elderly persons find it difficult to write cards and letters. During the holidays, consider helping an elderly person prepare cards for family and friends.

6. Organize a visit or call from cler-

gy - This holiday season marks a good opportunity to organize a visit or even a phone call between a senior and a favorite clergy member.

5. Bring in a recipe book and plan several menus - Many seniors have a long history of holiday entertaining and would enjoy dispensing advice on what to prepare for holiday menus. Bring in some cookbooks and review the various recipes.

4. Listen to favorite music tapes or old-time radio shows - Bring in some of the elderly person's favorite music. A tape player would be a wonderful gift for a senior who doesn't already own one. A creative approach would be to visit the local library to check out audiotapes of old-time radio shows, such as "Amos and Andy," "Jack Benny" or "Fibber McGee and Molly."

3. Do some holiday shopping from catalogs - If the elderly person is unable to go out shopping, bring the shopping to them. Take over a variety of catalogs and peruse the pages for holiday gifts. Assist the senior in making his or her own purchases.

2. Read aloud from newspapers or magazines - As elderly persons may have hardships with reading, consider reading aloud articles from the person's favorite newspapers and magazines. Large print books and periodicals make wonderful gifts for seniors during the holidays.

1. Listen, listen, listen - Probably the most important piece of advice is to truly listen to the words the senior person has to say and to hear the feelings behind these words. Taking the time to really listen is one of the most generous gifts we can offer to an elderly person, helping the individual to feel appreciated, valued and loved. If the person is unwilling or unable to talk, holding a hand or giving a hug goes a long, long way.



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KIDS STUFF

Sugar Plum days

The Lake County Discovery Museum will offer special activities for youngsters during "Sugar Plum Days." Children can enjoy storytelling, crafts and snacks on Dec. 26-28 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Hear a different winter tale each day and create a souvenir to take home. All ages are welcome and activities are free with regular museum admission.

The museum is located at Fairfield Rd. and Rte. 176 in Wauconda. Admission is \$5.50 adults, \$2.50 youth 4-17 years and age three and under admitted free. Call 968-3400 for more information.

Check mate

Saturday morning chess, led by Russian chess champion Valentina Likhova, returns to Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Rd. in Lake Forest. The eight-week program will be held Jan. 5-Feb. 23 and the fee is \$75 per student. Instruction is offered for children in grades 1-12; advanced players class from 9-10 a.m.; intermediate class from 10-11 a.m. and beginners from 11 a.m.-noon. Register and pay in advance by calling 234-6060.

Spanish

Children, ages 4-10, along with a parent, can now register for Northbrook Park District's Spanish class. Learn the language and culture through music, games, movies and food. Afternoon sessions begin on Tuesday, Jan. 8 at 5:30 p.m. and morning sessions begin on Saturday, Jan. 12 at 10 a.m. Both classes are held at the Leisure Center, 3323 Walters Ave. in Northbrook. For information, call 291-2980.

Play with clay

The Kenosha Institute of Arts, 5000 Seventh Ave. in Kenosha, is offering "Kids Sculpting" class on Wednesdays, beginning Jan. 2 through Jan. 30 for youth age 9-12. The class takes place from 4-5:30 p.m. and is taught by Jeff Raasch.

For more information or for a brochure listing other classes, call 262-653-1610.

Mold and sculpt

New Century Clayworks, 83 Ambrogio Dr., Unit F in Gurnee, is taking registration for the upcoming winter classes for adults and children. Hand-built pottery classes, for those with little experience in clay, and wheel-thrown pottery are being offered beginning Jan. 7 and 8. Paula Jean Pederson, who has won numerous awards, will instruct. Children's workshops are also available. Call 625-1799 for information or visit the studio on-line at www.newclayworks.com.

DONATIONS NEEDED

Sending comfort

As part of Operation Morale Boost, the American Red Cross of Greater Chicago is sending goodies and other "comforts of home" to lift the spirits of service members stationed in far-away countries. These gifts will be sent to American Red Cross units on bases and ships around the world and will let American soldiers know that the public cares and remembers them while separated from family and loved ones.

The Red Cross is seeking donations to help defray the costs of shipping these packages. Shipping costs approximately one dollar per pound and, although over a half-ton of Morale Boost packages have been sent already, several hundred pounds of goodies still wait to be shipped. Donations to help cover costs can be sent to American Red Cross/Operation Morale Boost, 111 E. Wacker Dr., Suite 200, Chicago, IL 60601.

For more information, contact Jean Quaintance at the Red Cross office on the Great Lakes Naval Training Base at 688-5676, or visit the web site at www.4troops.com.

ART EXHIBITS

Members' show

"In View," an exhibit of art work by the members of the Suburban Fine Art Center (SFAC), will open on Jan. 4 and run through Jan. 29 at the Sunset Gallery, 1913 Sheridan Rd. in Highland Park. The two and three dimensional art will represent all media from the talented SFAC artists. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday. For more information, call 432-1888.

On exhibit

"Tied to the Past II: The Art of Dennis Downes" is now on display at the Lake County Discovery Museum, Fairfield Rd. and Rte. 176 in Wauconda, now through Jan. 31. Downes uses a variety of media to capture his Native American themes.

Watercolors, framed in hand-carved frames and sculptures are included in this exhibit. Gallery hours are 11 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 1-4:30 p.m. Sundays. Call 968-3400 for information.

MUSIC

Guitar night

Five highly acclaimed fingerstyle guitarists and one virtuoso mandolinist will take the stage at the Woodstock Opera House for Ed Hall's Woodstock Christmas Guitar Night, Saturday, Dec. 22 at 8 p.m. The musicians will perform unique and unusual arrangements as well as popular music for the holidays.

Tickets are \$18 and available at the Woodstock Opera House box office. For more information, call 815-338-5300.

CLASSES

Swing your partner

The Buoy and Bells, Taw and Paws, Walk and Dodgers Highsteppers and Allemands will join together and offer square dance lessons for new students beginning Tuesday, Jan. 8. Learn the basic and mainstream calls at the Terrace Nursing Home, 1615 Sunset Ave. in Waukegan from 7-9 p.m.

Lessons are \$5 per person and continue through May 21. Call 746-1461 for additional information.

First aid for all

Youths and adults, ages 14 and older, are invited to attend Northbrook Park District's First Aid and Safety class. CPR techniques, information on poisoning, sprains, fractures and bleeding will be discussed.

Two sessions will be held: Tuesday Jan. 8 and Thursday, Jan. 10, both at 6 p.m. at the Leisure Center, 3323 Walters Ave. in Northbrook.

Certification is issued upon successful completion of the program. The class is taught by certified Red Cross instructors. For further information, call 291-2980.

LIBRARY EVENTS

Scrap on!

The Grayslake Area Public Library, 100 Library Ln. in Grayslake, will hold a Super Scrapbooking Party on Friday, Dec. 28 with grades 1-4 meeting from 2:30-3:30 p.m. and grades 5-8 meeting from 4-5 p.m. Bring your photos and the library will provide the scrapbook materials and music.

Call 223-5313 to register or for additional information.

Holiday tea party

Girls in second grade and up are invited to an American Girls Christmas Tea on Saturday, Dec. 22 at the Round Lake Area Library, 906 Hart Rd in Round Lake. 'Tis the season to enjoy the holidays as the American Girls would do. Enjoy an afternoon of American Girl stories, crafts and fun beginning at noon. Holiday refreshments will be served. Bring your American Girl doll or a favorite toy to enjoy this special program.

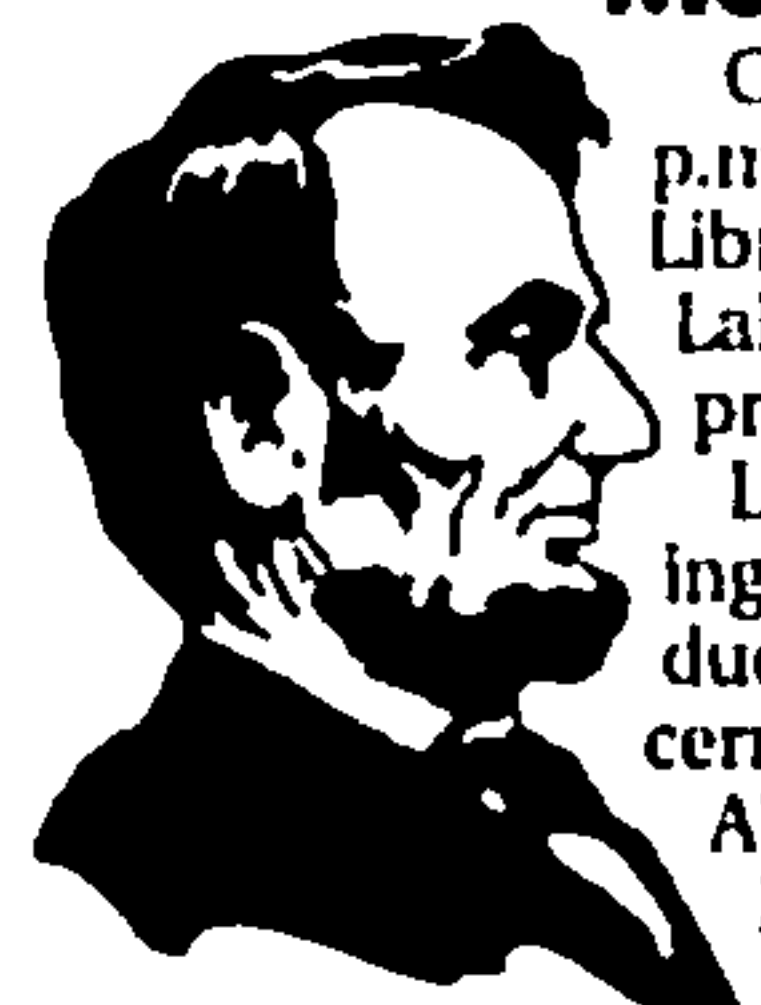
Call 546-7060 for more information.

Discuss The Giver

The adult book discussion group of the Lake Villa District Library, 1001 East Grand Ave. in Lake Villa, will meet at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 12 to discuss "The Giver" by Lois Lowry. Lowry examines the idea that people might freely choose to give up their humanity in order to create a more stable society.

There will be additional copies of "The Giver" for checkout at the circulation desk. Call Kim Rutter for more information at 356-7711, ext. 233. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome to attend.

Meet the Lincolns



On Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 2 p.m. the Lake Villa District Library, 1001 East Grand Ave. in Lake Villa, will host a special presentation on the Lincolns. Lincoln Productions, an acting company dedicated to producing dramatic works concerning the lives of President Abraham Lincoln and his wife, Mary Todd Lincoln, will perform a show especially intended for elementary school age children and their caregivers.

Tickets will be required for this program and registration is now underway. For more information, call the library at 356-7711.

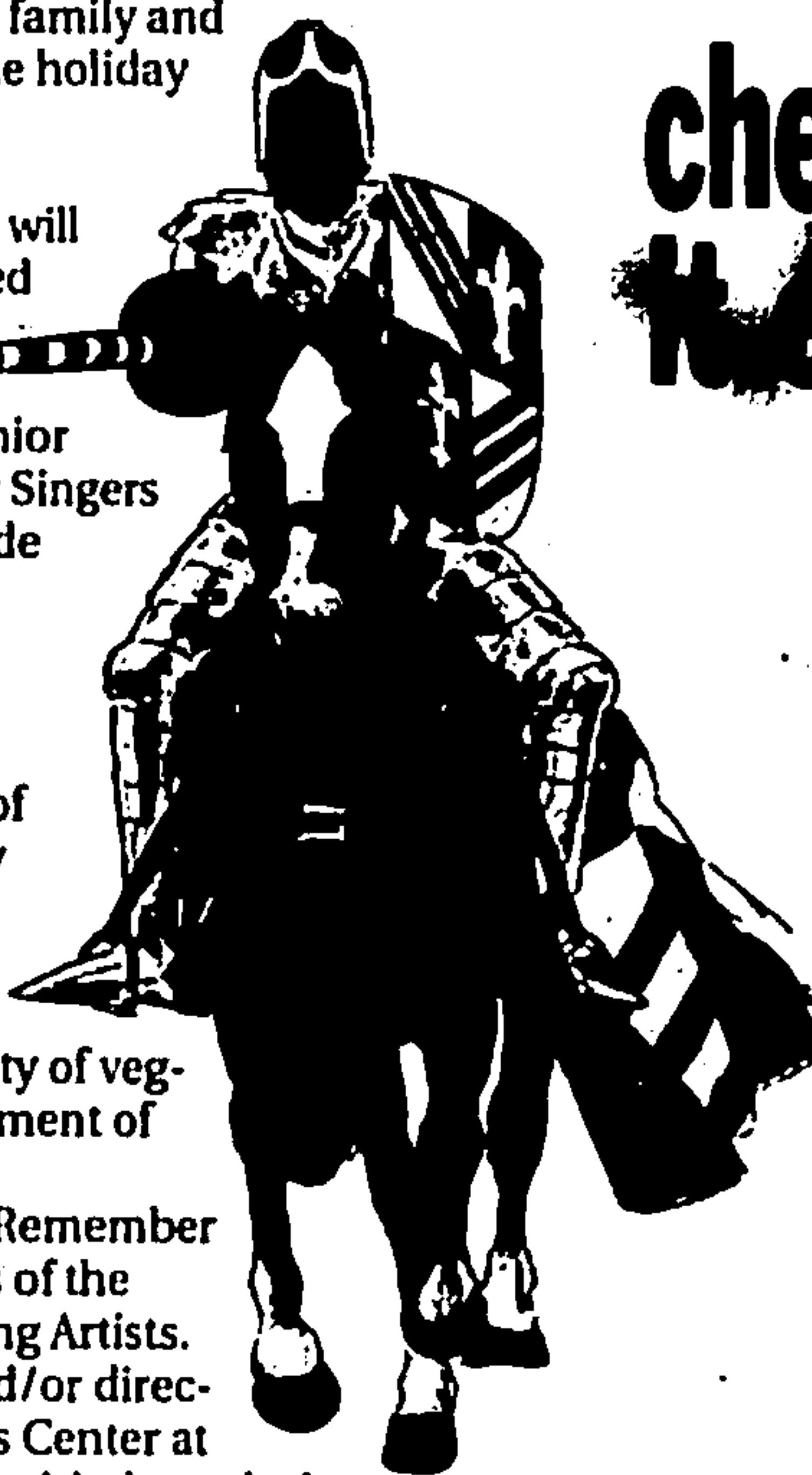
Join the Midwest Young Artists for 'A Knight To Remember'

Midwest Young Artists presents, "A Knight To Remember," their 1st annual Madrigal Dinners on Saturday, Dec. 22. There will be two seatings—5 p.m. and 7 p.m. at the Midwest Young Artists Center in Fort Sheridan. "A Knight To Remember" will feature a Renaissance Period show as well as the talent of the Midwest Young Artists Junior and Senior Choroals and their elite Chamber Singers. The Madrigal Dinners will be fun and interactive events performed by talented, fully costumed actors, with the backdrop of a full King's court—a unique setting for family and friends to celebrate the spirit of the holiday season together.

For \$25 per person, "A Knight to Remember," will present audiences an evening filled with superb acting, spirited sing-alongs and fine food. The Junior and Senior Choroals along with the Chamber Singers will perform holiday favorites made famous during The Renaissance Period.

A delicious buffet, featuring Chicken Marsala, broiled Orange Roughy, and Sliced Roast Sirloin of Beef Sauce Chasseur, prepared by North Shore Lights Catering. The Madrigal buffet will also consist of an array of side items including pastas with sauces and a variety of vegetables all topped off by an assortment of holiday desserts.

All proceeds of "A Knight To Remember" will benefit the ongoing programs of the young musicians of Midwest Young Artists. Please call 926-9898 for tickets and/or directions to the Midwest Young Artists Center at 878 Lyster Rd. in Fort Sheridan, or visit the web site at www.MYA.org for additional details.



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All funds collected from cookbook sales go directly to help support the animals at the shelter. Assisi Animal Foundation members Owen and Mary Meredith and Sue Wright have generously assumed all costs of production and mailing. The cost is \$10 and includes shipping and handling.

This cookbook is an Assisi exclusive, found nowhere else. For more information, call 815-455-9411 or visit the web site at www.assisi.org.

Village Tavern lends a hand

The Village Tavern, 135 Old McHenry Road in historic Long Grove, will sponsor a silent auction on New Year's Eve, Monday, Dec. 31, to benefit the Seeing Eye Dog Program of the Long Grove Lions' Club. Bids will be accepted all day, up to 11:30 p.m. Winners will be announced at midnight.

The auction will contain a wide variety of upscale food items and general merchandise donated by Long Grove residents, merchants and suppliers of village shops and restaurants. Under the direction of Norma Sayles and son Chip Ulrich, the Village Tavern, a Long Grove landmark, has a long tradition of supporting a wide range of charitable projects and organizations. Each year, the Lions' Seeing Eye Dog Program purchases, hand-trains, and donates a special canine to a disabled child or adult.

The Village Tavern will be serving from the regular dinner menu from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Dec. 31. A special New Year's Eve Dinner and Party will begin at 8 p.m. with door prizes, the auction, music, and dancing. For New Year's Eve reservations and information on the public auction, phone 634-3117.

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Pinter's 'Birthday Party' picks at real, unreal

The Birthday Party," Harold Pinter's unsettling look at abuses of power and self-deception, remains an unsettling drama – 43 years after its debut on a London stage.

Set in a shabby seaside boardinghouse, this two-hour play from the theater-of-the-absurd genre, is undergoing a revival at Apple Tree Theatre in Highland Park under the direction of Cecile Keenan. It introduces Meg, the dotty proprietress, as she goes through the morning ritual of serving breakfast to her taciturn husband Petey (Neil Crane in a restrained performance as the play's only truly "normal" character) and their reclusive boarder Stanley, a one-time pianist who has been hanging around for a year.



Apple Tree Theatre presents "The Birthday Party," directed by Cecile D. Keenan. Featured in this tale of quirky reality are Shawn Douglass (left), Larry Neumann, Jr. (center), and Larry Yando (right) along with Maureen Gallagher, Neil Craine and Meredith Templeton (not pictured).—Photo by Michael Brosilow.

Meg, is a sweetheart but one with the slickest grip on the real world. She decides the best way to raise the spirits of her tenant, the distraught Stanley (nicely played by Larry Neumann Jr.), is by throwing him an early birthday party.

Yet the celebration is anything but, where Stanley is concerned.

What has he done to deserve this harassment? Why was he singled out? Unfortunately, those answers are never revealed. And that is one of the most frustrating elements of Pinter's play. The lively, pointed dialogue, danced about the real and the unreal, but it does little to explain the disquiet.

Meredith Templeton rounds out the cast as the bouncy Lulu.

Brian Bembridge's set is simple yet effective. Curled up floorboards and battle-scarred walls convey a sense of physical and emotional dilapidation that exists in this place.

See "The Birthday Party" through Jan. 6. Ticket information is available at 432-4335

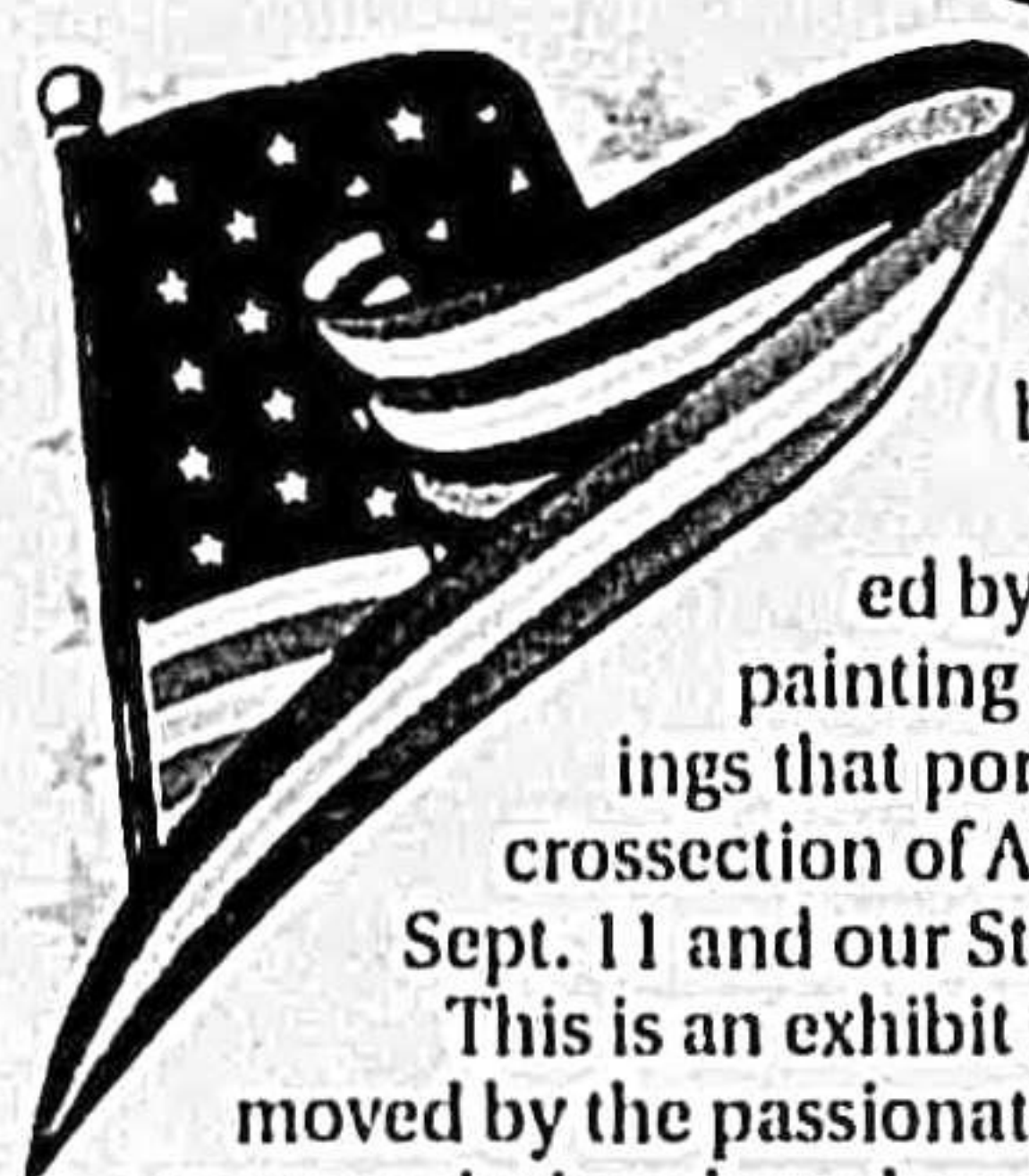
Stanley's discomfiture grows after he learns of the impending arrival of two new boarders.

The strangers, Goldberg and McCann, provide an unnerving counterpoint, affable one moment, threatening another. Larry Yando, as Goldberg, entertains with tales of his Jewish relatives, but one is never quite sure of the veracity of his stories.

Meanwhile, McCann, played by Shawn Douglass, is the Irish musclem who can barely conceal his propensity toward physical violence. Watching him slowly tease the day's newspaper into long, narrow strips heightens the feeling of menace.

Maureen Gallagher, as

Art league shows colors



A very moving and patriotic exhibit of art is now on display at The Jack Benny Center in Waukegan. These fine art pieces have been provided by 33 members of the Lake County Art League and can be seen at The Benny Center until Dec. 28.

This exhibit titled "America the Beautiful" has been spearheaded by Kay Burbank, Waukegan artist and art league member. Kay's painting of the ship USCGC Munro is on display along with other paintings that portray our nation. Local artists have provided an emotional cross-section of American subjects from flags, to our nation's beauty; it's people, Sept. 11 and our Statue of Liberty.

This is an exhibit that will make everyone who visits proud of our country and moved by the passionate renderings of the artists. As can easily be detected by the viewer, many paintings have been created after the terrorist acts of Sept. 11.

One cannot see this display and not be moved. The painting "Hope, Amid the Ruins" by Linda Kollacks captures our sadness and our spirit, it is truly one that must be seen. For further information, call 856-8772.

Midwest Young Artists presents: Annual Mid-Holiday Blues Concert

Midwest Young Artists will host their 6th Annual Mid-Winter Blues Concert on December 28th at 7:30 p.m. The concert will be held at Pick-Staiger Concert Hall in Evanston on the campus of Northwestern University, 1977 S. Campus Dr. Admission is \$5 for children and \$10 for adults. Audiences will experience two full hours of chamber music, orchestra and jazz.

The Mid-Holiday Blues Concert is a great way to beat those blues that the end of the holidays and the cold winter days can bring on. Warm up to the sounds of Brahms, Verdi, Debussy, Mahler and other Chamber Music, Orchestra and Jazz legends—all performed by alum of

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weekend diversions

Norway Traditions explored at Wheaton History Center

Nothing but Norway! That's the focus of this year's holiday exhibit, "Tradition of Norway." In December and January, the Kiebler Gallery will be noticeably Norwegian as the Wheaton History Center features everything from Norway's architecture to handi-crafts to food and music.

Visitors are welcome anytime during museum hours; however unique Interpretive Tours are scheduled at 2 p.m. on Sunday Dec. 30 and Jan. 6. There will also be an exhibit reception held on Wednesday, Jan. 9 from 5-8 p.m.

To experience Norwegian culture further or to enjoy a pleasant afternoon with friends or family, the public is invited to join the Wheaton History Center and co-sponsors Sons of Norway, Polar Star 5-472, Aurora, for a nostalgic tea. Guests will sip an exclusive blend of tea and nosh on authentic Norwegian fare served by costumed "Norwegians," as Ray Nilsen performs traditional music. The Victorian Tea, a favorite mid-winter event, will take place on Sunday, Jan. 13. Three seatings are available and the cost is \$20 per person.

These events offered in conjunction with the exhibit provide an overview of the heritage of Norway while focusing on the holiday customs. Visitors are guaranteed to walk away with a thorough knowledge of this unique country.

The Wheaton History Center is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1 p.m.-4 p.m. and Sunday 1-4 p.m. For more information, or to make tea reservations, please call 630-682-9472, visit the center at 606 N. Main St. in Wheaton or check the center's web site at www.wheaton.lib.il.us/whc.



The Wheaton History Center, located at 606 Main St. in Wheaton, will conduct special tours to their "Nothing but Norway" holiday exhibit. The exhibit, featuring the music, food, culture and handi-crafts, is on display now through January with tours set for Dec. 30 and Jan. 6.

New holiday lights on view at Dells

Guests who visit Wisconsin Dells from now until Jan. 20 will experience a community participating in the spirit of the season, as close to 70 businesses have decorated their exteriors to brighten the area for the holidays.

The idea for a holiday lights display came from Tom Gantz, co-owner of Noah's Ark Waterpark. Gantz presented the concept to area business owners in late September and it was immediately embraced.

Gantz has decorated the ark at Noah's Ark Waterpark, which is easily visible from Wisconsin Dells Parkway, or Hwy 12. In addition,

Flash Flood and the property's entrance are adorned with a giant wreath, trees and lights.

One of the largest displays can be seen at Big Chief Karts and Coasters. Owner Nick Laskaris has transformed his 65-foot wooden Trojan horse into a Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer display.

In addition to viewing the first annual Display of Lights, visitors can purchase holiday gift certificates, valid at 200 area businesses, by calling the Wisconsin Dells Visitors & Convention Bureau at 800-223-3557, or by visiting the web site at www.wisdells.com.

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DENNIS

Polyakov is presently ranked No. 279 nationally (14-and-under), 57th in the Midwest and 22nd in the Chicago district.

His best showings this year included a consolation semifinal showing at the USTA National Open Championships and a semifinal showing at the ESTFC Boys 18 and 16-year-old age groups.

Polyakov came to work with Bey after his old coach moved to Florida and has enjoyed his time at the Libertyville Tennis and Fitness Club.

"My first year with Mark has been the best thing for me," said Polyakov. "He's probably the best coach in Illinois."

Bey also looks highly upon Polyakov.

"He has a great work ethic and a nice all-around game," said Bey. "His upside is tremendous."

With his high school career almost upon him, Polyakov is looking forward to next year.

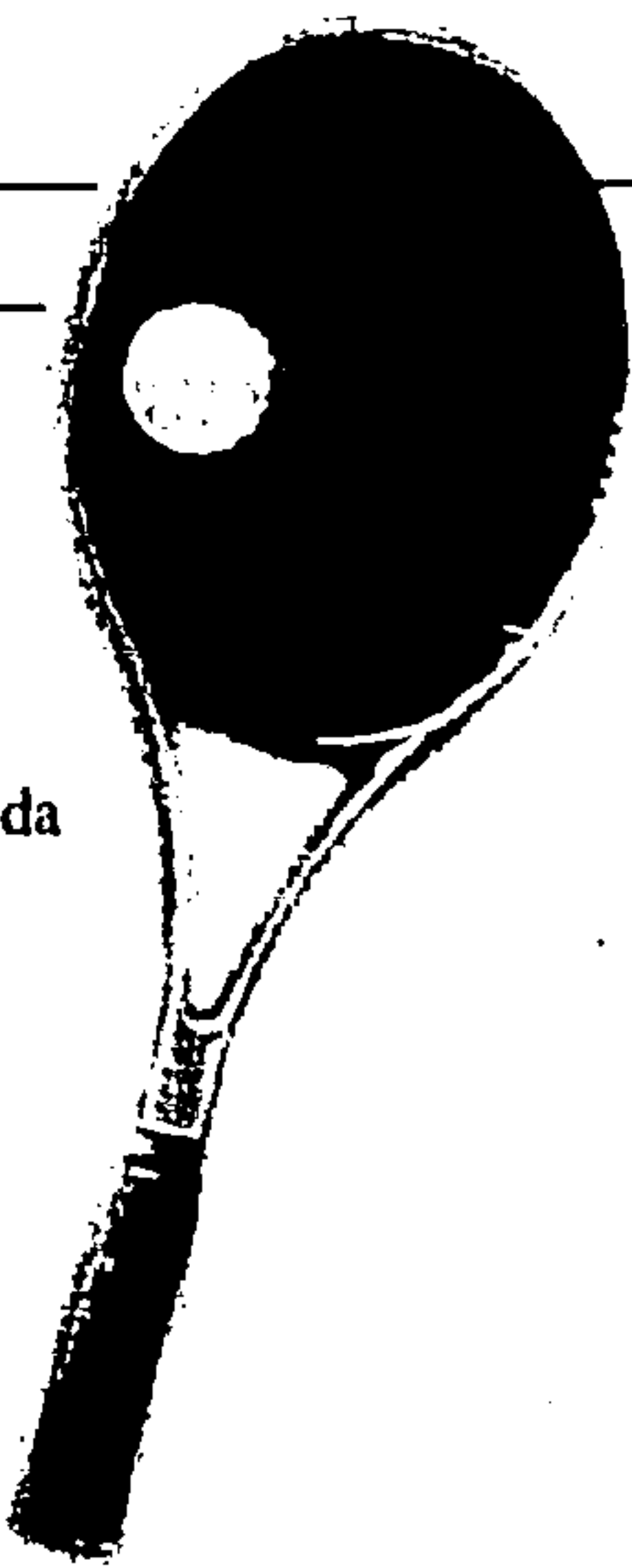
"High school will have a lot of competition," said Polyakov.

"There will be a lot of team support and I think it will be a lot of fun."

Greg Cohen, Warren's varsity head coach, is already counting on Polyakov being a part of Warren's team next year.

"I was unbelievably impressed with Polyakov five years ago," said Cohen. "He will be one of our best players as a freshman."

If you're a Warren fan, mark down the 2006 season on your calendars. That's when Polyakov will be a senior, Nevolo a sophomore and Bogatov a freshman. You'll probably witness a little history.



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TAKE THE 2ND STEP

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LOVELY AT THE TOP

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CARE TO SNORKLE?

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MY LIFE WITH YOU

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Friendly, outgoing SWM, 41, 5'11", 180lbs., strawberry blond hair, green eyes, likes water sports, biking, concerts, working on cars, beaches and body piercing. ISO open-minded, honest, sincere SF, 30-45, for friendship first. Ad# 1478

MARRIAGE-MINDED

Friendly, easygoing SWM, 29, 6', 220lbs., brown hair and blue-green eyes, enjoys the guitar, boating and reading. Seeking petite, honest, caring, sincere, easygoing SWF, 21-30. Ad# 1410

MAGICAL MOMENTS

Gentle SWM, 44, 6'4", enjoys long walks, working out, bowling, football, looking for a nice DWF, 33-42, with similar interests, for LTR. Ad# 1473

FUN TIMES AWAITING

Humorous, carefree SWM, 30, 6', 200lbs., brown hair/eyes, likes hunting, fishing and nature. Seeking attractive, slim, tall SF, 22-37, for a casual relationship. Ad# 1468

LIFE CAN BE LONELY

Loyal, dependable, retired WWW, 70, enjoys movies, traveling, sightseeing and quiet times. ISO N/S SWF, 63-69. Ad# 1463

SEEKING CHRISTIAN

DWPC dad, 37, black hair, brown eyes, 220lbs., N/S, enjoys sports, outdoors, fine arts, ISO SWCF, 30-39, with common interests. Ad# 1459

BALD AND SEXY

Sociable WM, 57, 5'10", 180lbs., friendly, fun, likes bowling, nice dinners and short trips. ISO appreciative, proportioned AF, 50-60, with nice smile, who's communicative, with no games or drama. Ad# 1462

YOUNG AT HEART

SWM, 53, 5'9", 170lbs., gray hair, enjoys running, swimming, dancing, jazz music, quiet times, ISO romantic, fun-loving SWF, 39-56, who's honest, with similar interests. Ad# 1437

DON'T KEEP WAITING

SWM, 58, loves gardening, woodworking and fishing. ISO an honest, trustworthy SWF, 48-58, with a sense of humor, for a long-term relationship. Ad# 1427

R U OUT THERE?

Energetic, easygoing SWM, 35, 5'9", 165lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, likes outdoor activities, dogs, music and the arts. ISO sociable, family-oriented SF, 25-35, who likes children and has good set of morals and values. Ad# 1435

LET'S GET TOGETHER

Outgoing, friendly SWM, 41, 5'10", 165lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, likes dancing, music, golfing, bowling, shooting pool, board games, card games. ISO SWF, 35-45, 5'2"-5'7", 110-140lbs., with similar interests. Ad# 1433

ANYBODY-N-EVERYBODY

I got along with SWM, 52, 5'9", 185lbs., muscular-built, employed, funny, likes joking, outdoor activities, swimming and home life. Seeks affectionate, loving SF, 40-52, fit, for LTR. Ad# 1425

TIRED OF BAR SCENES

SWM, 47, 5'9", 175lbs., medium-built, brown hair/eyes, likes sports, dogs, fishing, bowling, movies. ISO a nice, sincere SWF, 33-45. Full-figured welcome. Ad# 1420

IN GOD WE TRUST

Fun SWCFM, 36, 5'7", 150lbs., seeks a cute SWCF, 25-35, who also enjoys movies in/out, the outdoors, quality times with quality people. Ad# 1417

SEEKS GENUINE LADY

Caring HM, 40, 5'5", 170lbs., with integrity and sincerity, into sports, movies, cooking and aerobics. Looking for honest, attractive WF, 30-40, childless preferred, for dating, possibly more. Ad# 1415

ALL ASPECTS OF LIFE

Handsome SWPM, 49, 6'2", 195lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, looking for a loving, caring, sharing, open-minded SF, 30-50, for friendship, possible LTR. Ad# 1413

JUST BE YOURSELF

Tall, slim SWM, 28, tanned, attractive, muscular build. Seeking fun-loving, laid-back SWF, 21-42, preferably athletic, slim build, attractive, for adventurous times. Ad# 1412

2 A SPECIAL LADY

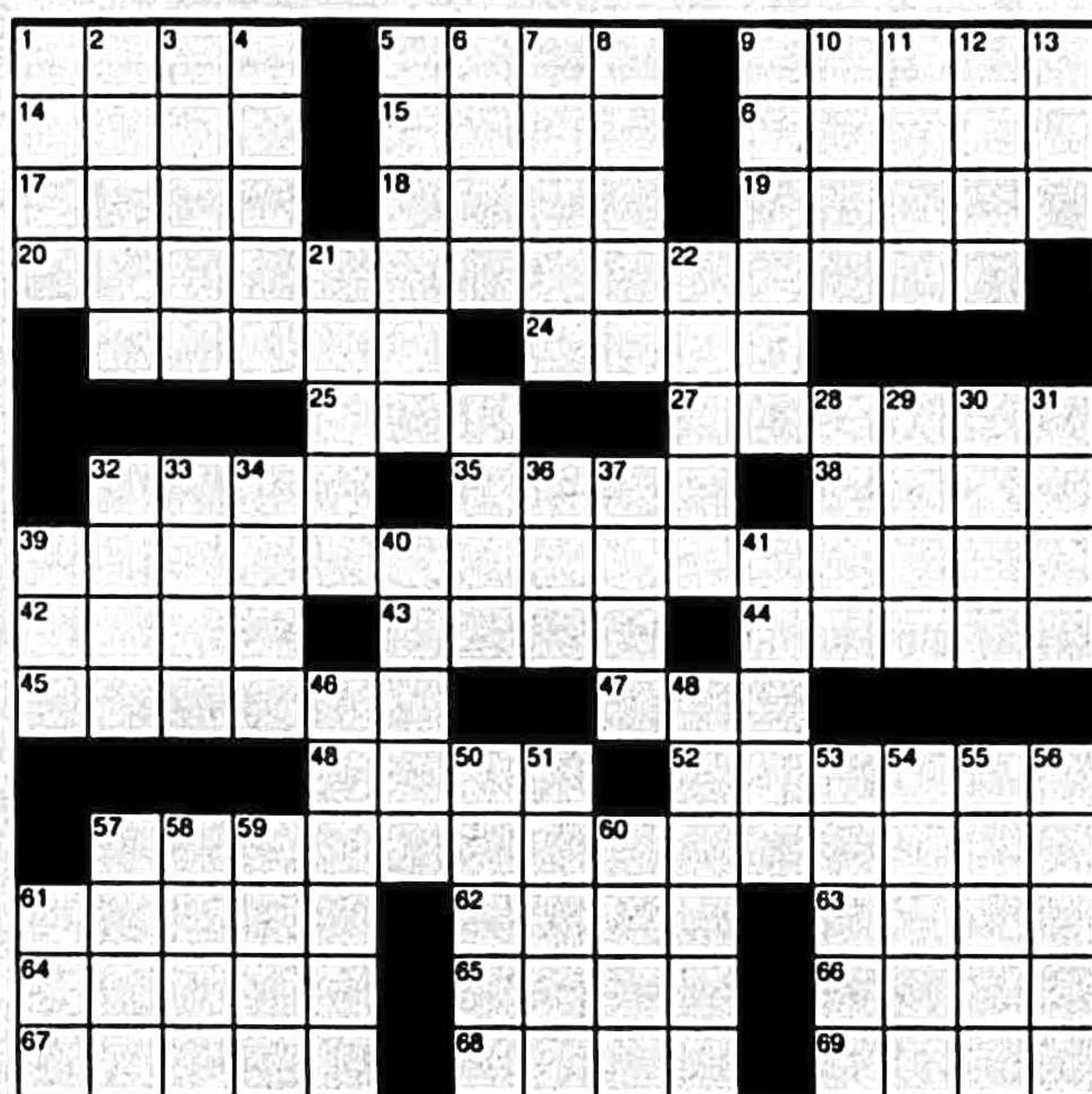
DWM, 56, 5'9", 178lbs., N/S, romantic, spontaneous, fun-loving, good-natured, ISO D/SWF, 45-58, height/weight proportionate, to share outdoor fun, friendship and possible LTR. Ad# 1308

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ACROSS

1. Mythological mountain
5. Afflicts
9. Traps
14. College army
15. Annoyance
16. Old Irish alphabets
17. From a distance
18. Soluble ribonucleic acid
19. ___ but goodie
20. Studs Terkel's ___
23. Yellow-fever mosquitos
24. Muslimism
25. By way of
27. Visual sense
32. A plant fiber used in making rope or sacks
35. Having little substance
38. Fill up
39. Deductible item for some
42. Awry
43. Hellos
44. Coal tar product
45. Richard __, actor
47. Substitute
49. Honey and carpenter
52. Type of mission
57. Spiteful withholder
61. Designed chairs
62. A circle of light around the sun or moon
63. Swiss river
64. Related on the mother's side
65. Augury
66. The destroyer (Hindu)
67. Selenes
68. Oceans
69. ___ Blyton, children's author



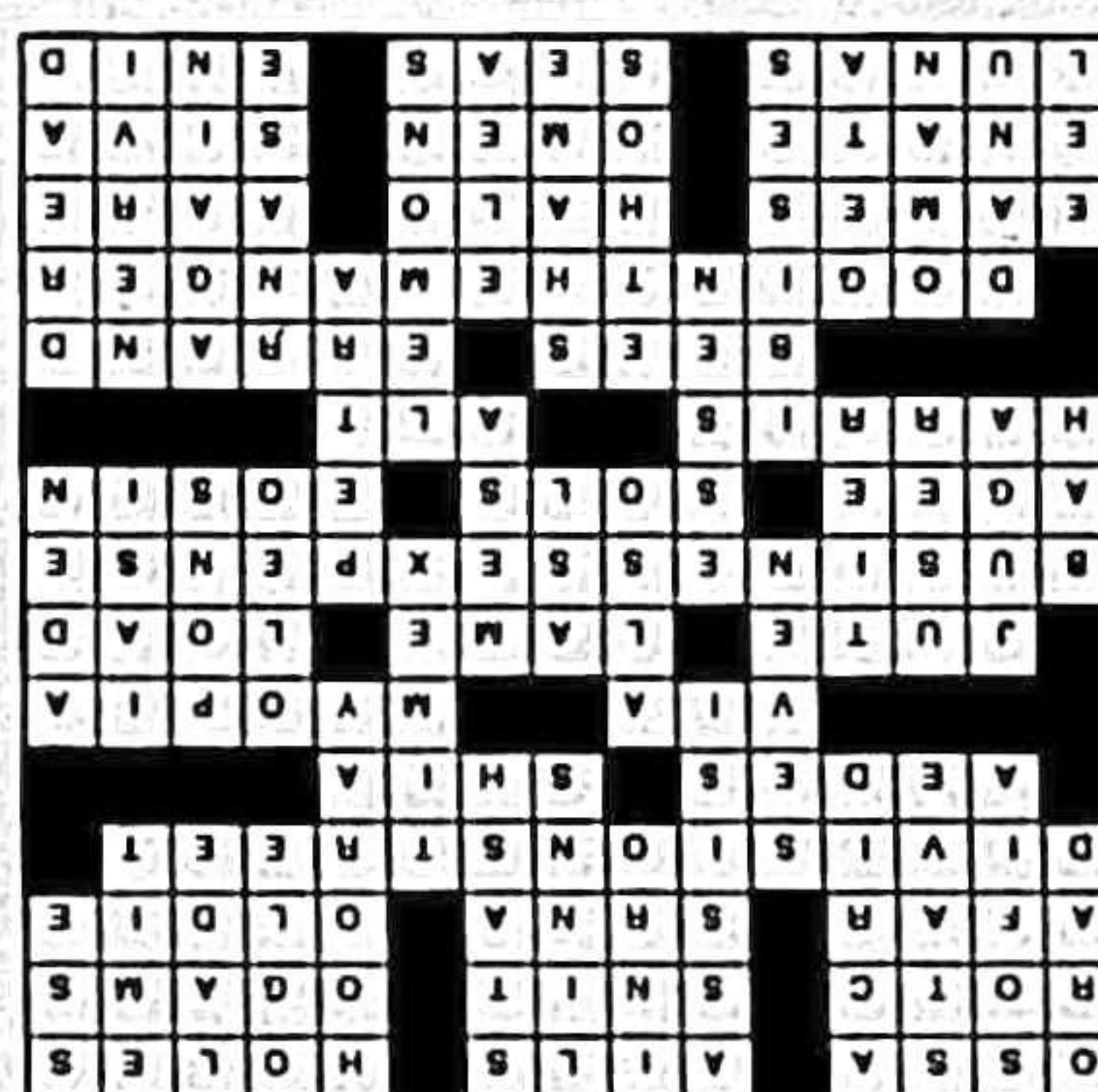
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1. Towards the mouth or oral region
2. Bulgarian capital
3. A crosspiece between the legs of a chair
4. Having a strong sharp smell or taste
5. St. Francis of ___
6. Japanese waist pouch
7. Scottish waterfalls
8. Hideaway, slang
9. Expression of praise
10. A way to look
11. Burden

12. Utter sounds
13. Compass point
21. Lucky number
22. Keeps tickin'
26. Used when listing items
28. Type of spread
29. Bridges organ parts
30. Romanian city
31. Arabian Gulf
32. Joins wings, pl.
33. Exploiter
34. Rank
36. Signing, abbr.
37. Flat tableland with steep edges
39. Humbug
40. Ruhr River valley city
41. Ancient city in S.W. Jordan
46. Waders
48. Gamboges
50. The distinctive spirit of a people or an era
51. Bring dishonor upon

53. Ribonuclease
54. Besides
55. Pertaining to nerves
56. Causing fear
57. Irish mother of gods
58. Arabian sultinate
59. Usually with wooden soles
60. Ancient Greek City
61. Moray, for o

Answers



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Aries - March 21/April 20

A family disappointment may hurt, but will come as no surprise. Try to curb your cynical nature if others are involved. Not everyone has such a thick protective outer shield as you. If romance is the source of stress, it may be time to take a look at the big picture. What do you really want?

Taurus - April 21/May 21

While others may think of you as a rock, you know there's a very soft side that can be easily hurt. It's not so bad to show this part of you from time to time — especially to loved ones. Quiet times towards the end of the week give you a chance to clear your mind. Give meditation a try.

Gemini - May 22/June 21

If your budget crisis is getting close to the U.S. national debt, it may be time to reassess the situation. Go ahead, and make a new financial plan for 2002. You really don't have to skimp; you just have to be smarter with your spending. A family gathering goes more smoothly than expected.

Cancer - June 22/July 22

Change is on the way, and now's the time to start planning for the new. If there's a chance you could be moving, this would be a good time to start laying out the groundwork. Don't be afraid to share your feelings with your partner. An upcoming trip gives you a lot to look forward to.

Leo - July 23/August 23

A simple misunderstanding with a family member could turn out to be a full-fledged battle if you let your temper take hold early this week. Be patient. Try to talk things out. Explain your side, but listen to the other, too. A creative outlet, like writing or painting, helps you get through.

Virgo - Aug 24/Sept 22

It will be an emotionally draining week. A love relationship in need of change will reach a turning point. Even if it hurts, you will feel the decision was the right one. Spending time with family helps ease pain. Kids are an especially good diversion. You'll realize what's really important this week.

Libra - Sept 23/Oct 23

Procrastination will work in your favor this week — so don't feel guilty if you want to indulge. A dream early in the week will provide clues into a current problem. Think about it. An upcoming social event will require some extra effort.

Scorpio - Oct 24/Nov 22

Although you usually thrive on pressure, leaving too much to the last minute could work against you. An organized approach is what you need. Children and younger family members play a big role this week — especially if you're a parent yourself. Patience will be needed on Thursday.

Sagittarius - Nov 23/Dec 21

Teamwork will be much more effective than going solo this week. Don't be afraid to delegate responsibility and ask for a helping hand. A lucky break later in the week probably will have you counting your blessings. An event you were dreading turns out to be not so bad. Scorpio is involved.

Capricorn - Dec 22/Jan 20

Don't announce bold plans unless you're sure you definitely will pursue them. You're good at talking the talk, but when it comes to walking the walk, it's a whole other story. Think about it. Be prepared to help out a friend in need later in the week. New romance looks promising. Put some extra effort into your appearance.

Aquarius - Jan 21/Feb 18

Saying exactly what's on your mind could prove offensive this week — especially to sensitive family members. Do yourself a favor: Think before you speak. A compromise will have to be made with your partner in order to solve an ongoing battle. Give without giving too much.

Pisces - Feb 19/March 20

Avoid arguments and conflict early in the week, especially if you are feeling particularly edgy. A creative surge makes you the hit of the party later in the week. Single? You may not be for long. A sexy Scorpio has an eye on you. A package you've been waiting for finally arrives.

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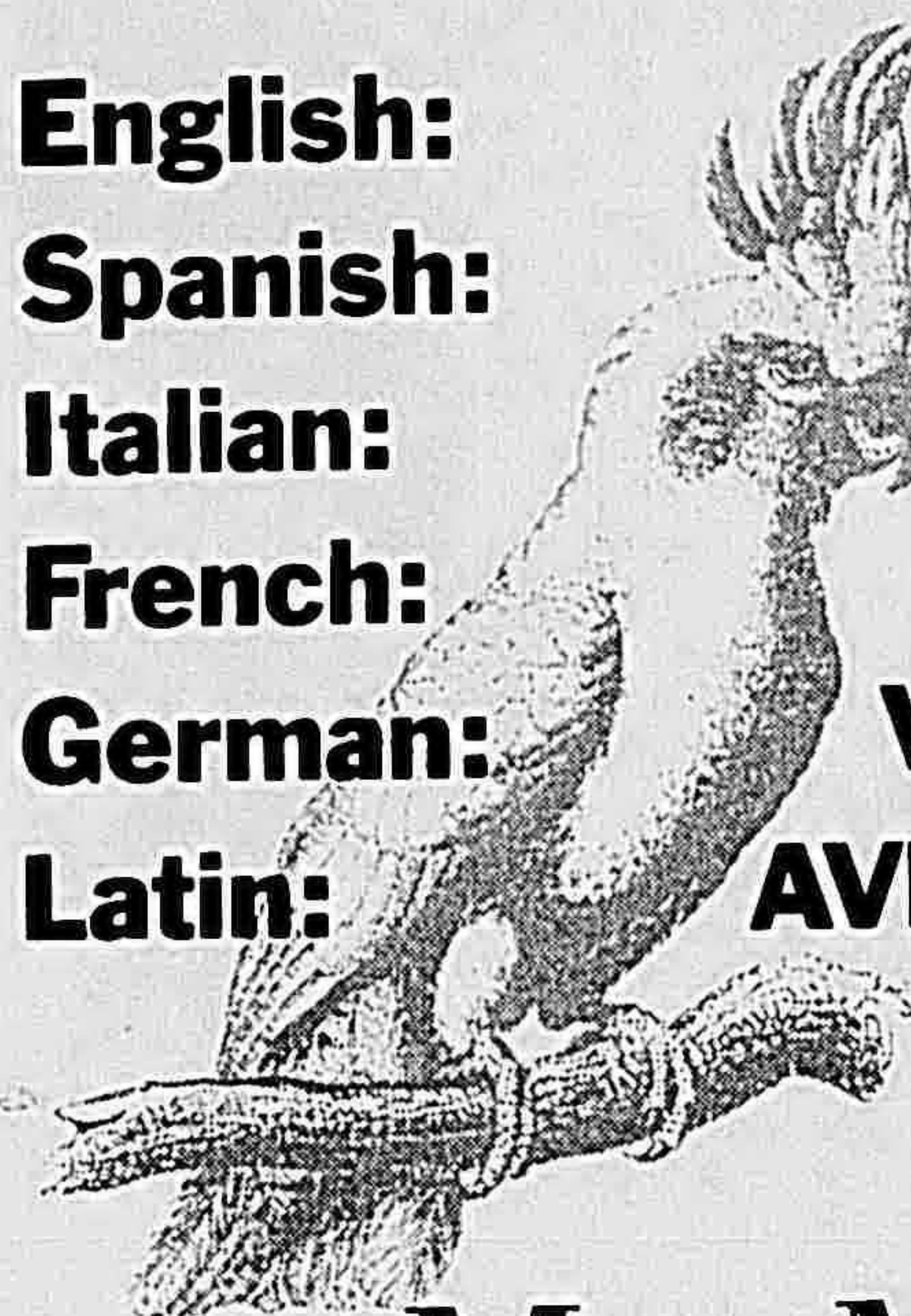
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German:

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Latin:

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Map Match

Match the state with its capital by drawing a line from the left column to the right column.

1. New Jersey
2. Ohio
3. Washington
4. Illinois
5. South Dakota
6. Texas
7. New Mexico
8. Maryland

- A. Springfield
- B. Austin
- C. Columbus
- D. Pierre
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- F. Santa Fe
- G. Annapolis
- H. Olympia

ANSWERS

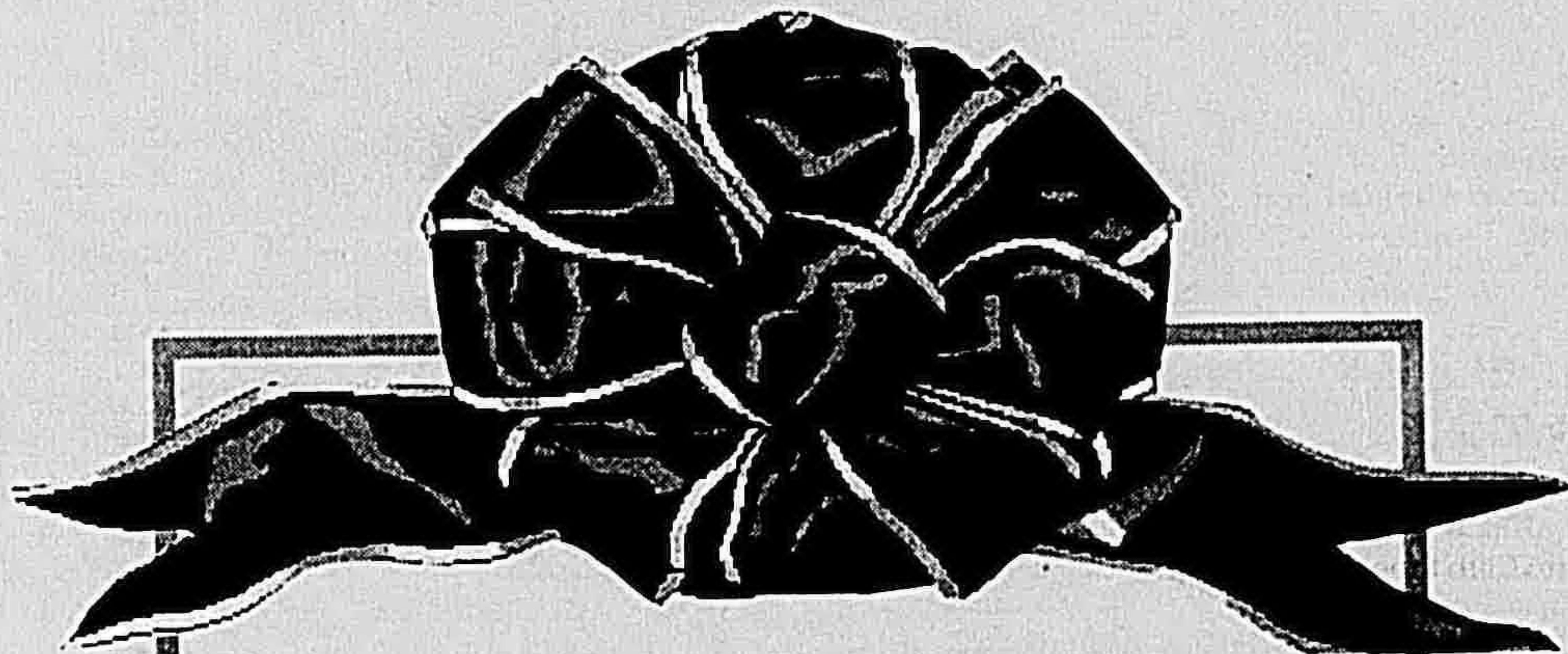
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Seasonal Fill-In:

1. Autumn 2. Leaves 3. Snow
4. Icicles 5. Windy 6. Frost 7. Puddles
8. Summer 9. Suntan 10. Swimming
11. Flowers 12. Spring

Map Match:

1. E 5. D
2. C 6. B
3. H 7. F
4. A 8. G



Seasonal Fill-In

Fill in the blanks below, and discover 12 items that have to do with the changing seasons.

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2. _ E _ V E S

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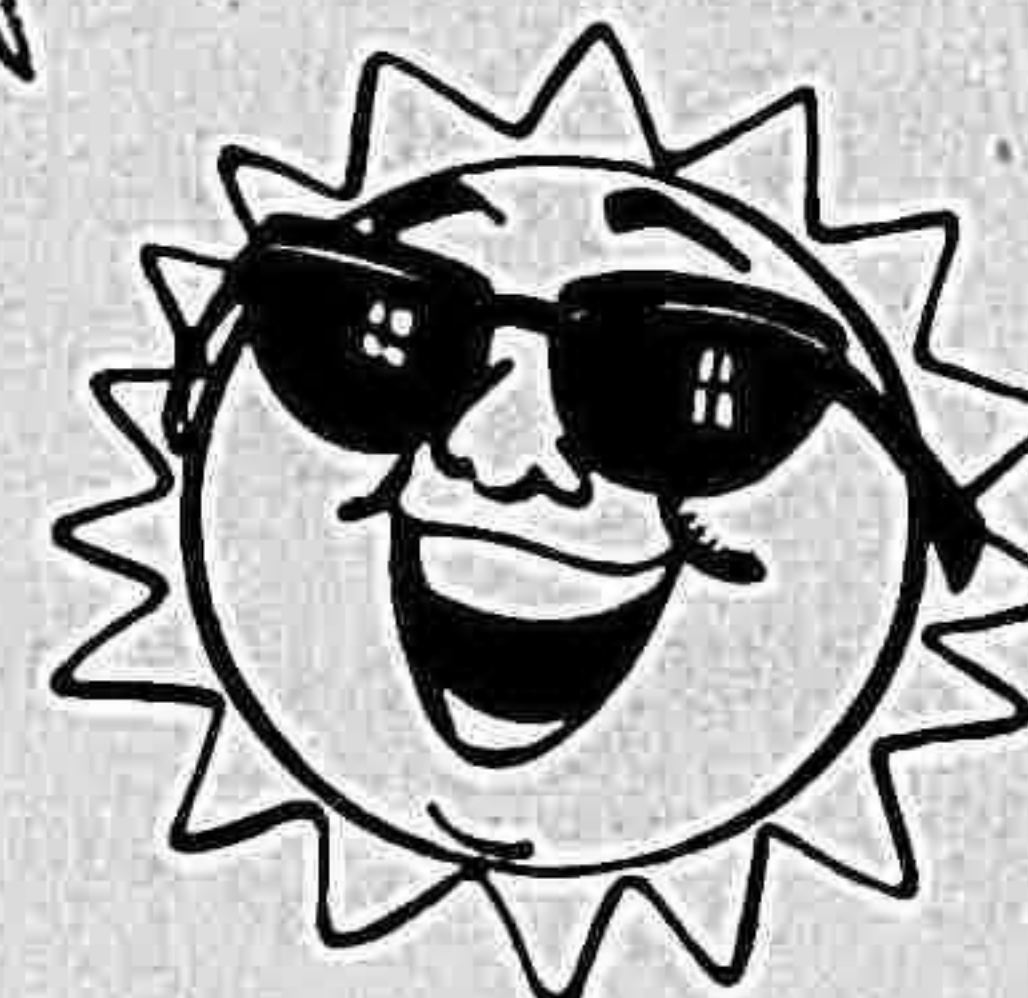
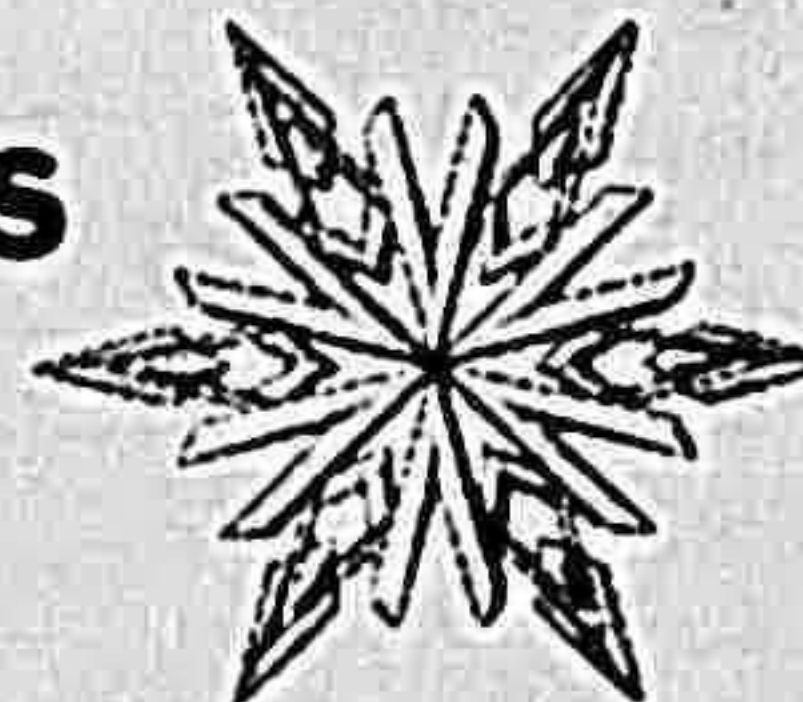
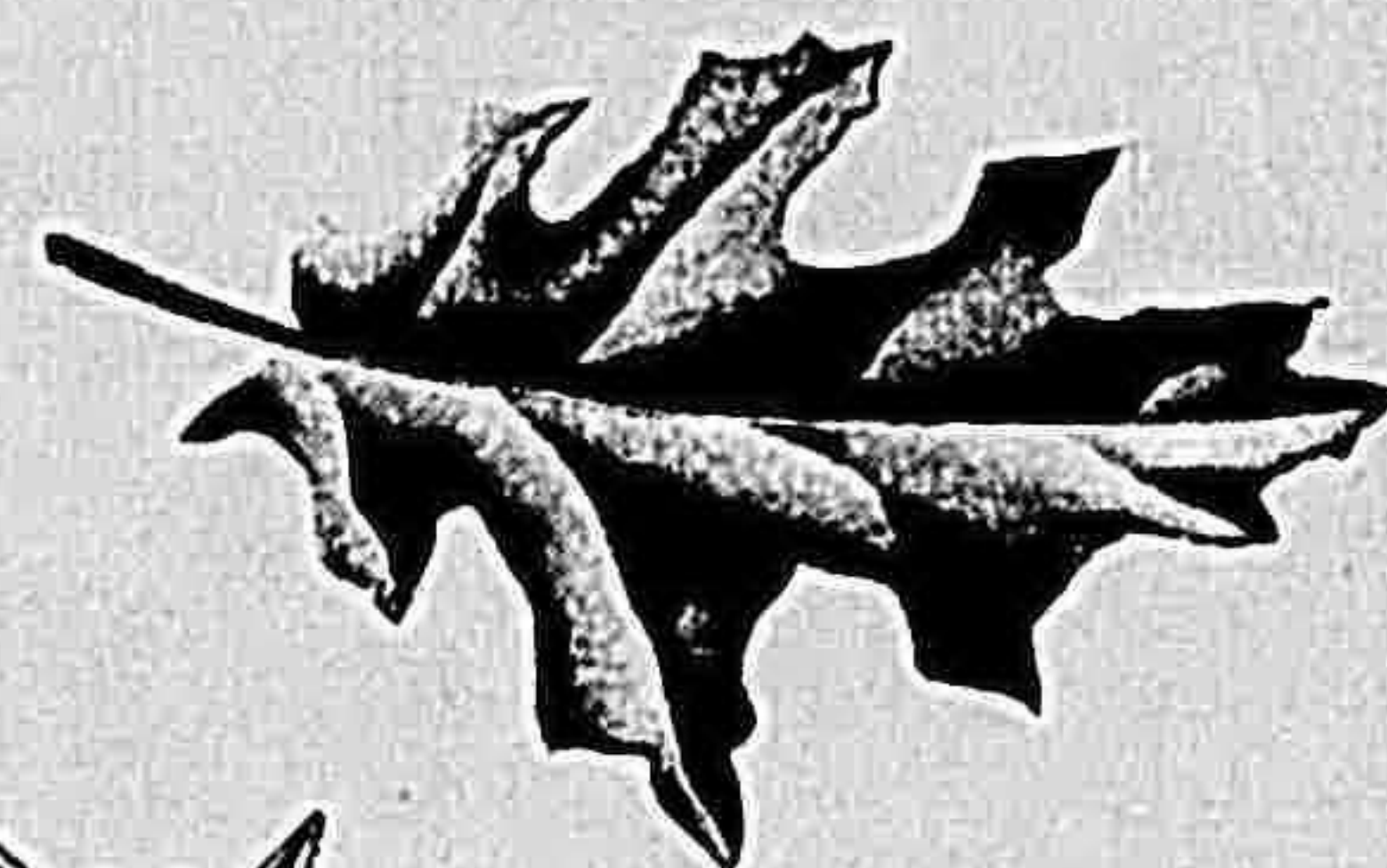
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11. _ L O _ E R S

12. _ P R _ _ G



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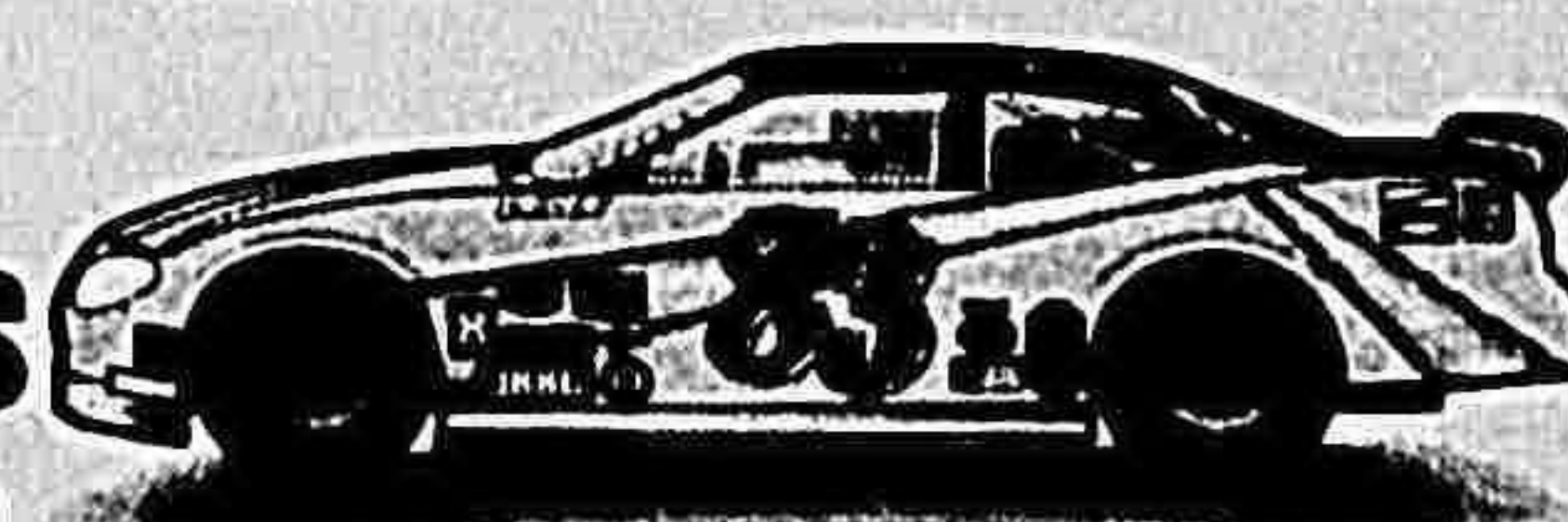
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CONDELL HEALTH NETWORK**Ladle of Learning Series**

Centre Club fitness complex in Gurnee's Ladle of Learning cooking series continues with a delicious array of cooking classes. All classes are open to Centre Club members and non-members and are held in the Demonstration Kitchen at the Centre Club in Gurnee, 1405 Hunt Club Road. A \$39 fee is due at the time of registration and includes instruction, recipes and a gourmet dining experience. Class size is limited, so register early. To register for classes or for more information regarding the Ladle of Learning Series, call The Medical Center Health Institute at 362-2905, ext. 4770.

Fabulous French Cooking (Mackey): Tuesday, Jan. 8, 6:30 p.m. You are invited to an evening of traditional French Cuisine from various regions. Demonstration will include: Wild Mushroom Tartlets, French Lentil soup, Grilled Sea Bass with Tapenade Sauce and Sauteed Fennel and more!

Resolution Solutions (Kennedy): Thursday, January 10, 6:30 p.m. Bold Flavor, low fat cooking techniques to delight your tastebuds and help you fulfill your New Year's pledge. Demonstration will include: Moroccan Carrot Salad, Lemon-sage Chicken Palliard, Balsamic Strawberries, Coffee Granita and more!

Crock Pot Meals in Minutes (Bond Reich): Thursday, January 17, 6:30 p.m. Dust off that slow cooker and put it to work for you. Learn techniques that make crock pot meals successful. Demonstration will include: Spicy Beef Shanks with Ginger Carrots, Hearty Beef and Bean Soup, Alaskan Style Mad Dog Chili, Sausage and Three Pepper sauce for Pasta and "Forgotten" Minestrone.

LAKE FOREST HOSPITAL**What is AD/HD?**

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Diabetes Alert

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Is a new puppy for Christmas a good idea?

Hi Dr. Singer,

We want to buy our 9 year old daughter a new puppy for Christmas and wonder if you think that is a good idea or should we save it for some other time of year? Z.O.

Hi Z.O.

My answer to this question is going to depend on what type of people you are. If you are someone who believes that this puppy coming into your home will be a loved member of your family who is not disposable under any circumstances, then I would say Christmas

**PARENT'S PLACE***Dr. Sherri Singer*

is as good a time as any. If you feel that you will be good at reasonably protecting the puppy from the hustle bustle of Christmas, than great idea! I want to first give you some of my

thoughts about this and the share my own Christmas puppy story with you since it is so special to me.

Most breeders feel that Christmas is not a good time to take a new puppy into your home because it is a time of hustle and bustle and it can be scary and upsetting to a young puppy. Also of concern to breeders is the fact that many people impulsively get a puppy or kitten for a child as a present, not realizing the actual commitment and work that the animal will require and soon after Christmas, that poor little animal baby is in a shelter hoping to be adopted or unfortunately has to be put down because plain and simple, these shelters don't have enough resources for all the animals that get dumped like that. It breaks my heart to even write about that part of it.

So, if after all I have said so far, you are still wanting to do this for Christmas and you feel that you are someone who will make that loving commitment to the animal and to your child, a few pieces of advice for you... First and foremost, research breeds. Different breeds are right for different people. A mismatch of breed to family style can be disastrous. Don't panic that it is too late for research. I got the idea to get a Collie puppy for my husband 2 days before Christmas and got lots of information in one night off of the Internet and from a book I bought in a local pet store. It did the trick and I knew this was a perfect breed for us (also perfect for us is our Samoyed-I could not leave her out of the story!) Researching the personality of the breed will tell you if it is the right one for you. Second, make sure you are ready with everything you need ahead of time. You don't want to be stuck on Christmas day without some very important supplies. A breed book will give you the checklist. Third, be sure that you are willing to set a good example for your daughter about how to treat an animal.

Puppies, like kids, need to be treated firmly but kindly, with loving care and never abused, even when there is the occasional accident. Our dogs potty trained very fast and I feel it was because of loving and appropriate discipline.

The same kind of discipline I recommend each week for kids. What you give to an animal in love comes back a thousand times to you. Make sure you teach your daughter that. Also, regarding the issue I mentioned above about disposing of an animal, many people get pets and then dispose of them later because they interfere too much or they cause problems or they require work, etc. I believe that showing a child that a family member is disposable when they require work is a very bad example to set as well as a very cruel thing to do. I am trying to be as blunt as possible here since it makes me sick when people do that and I want to prevent it as much as I can. Your pets should be considered your family and family is never disposable. You find a way to work it out and you do that. You are setting an example for your children. Think about that a lot before you decide to do this. Again, if you are like me and your love for animals is deep and intense, you will set a great and proud example and teach your child how to treat animals the wonderful way they should be treated. You will create a humane, tender and responsible child. These are great things that animals can bring out in kids if given the right chance.

Puppies poop and bark and pee and chew and bite and they need loving care and guidance and appropriate discipline to become loving dogs and good companions. If you can do this and you feel you'll be good at that, go for it. If not, please don't. Go find something else for your child for Christmas because it is the right thing to do.

Let me know what you decide because I would love to hear about it. Have a great holiday!

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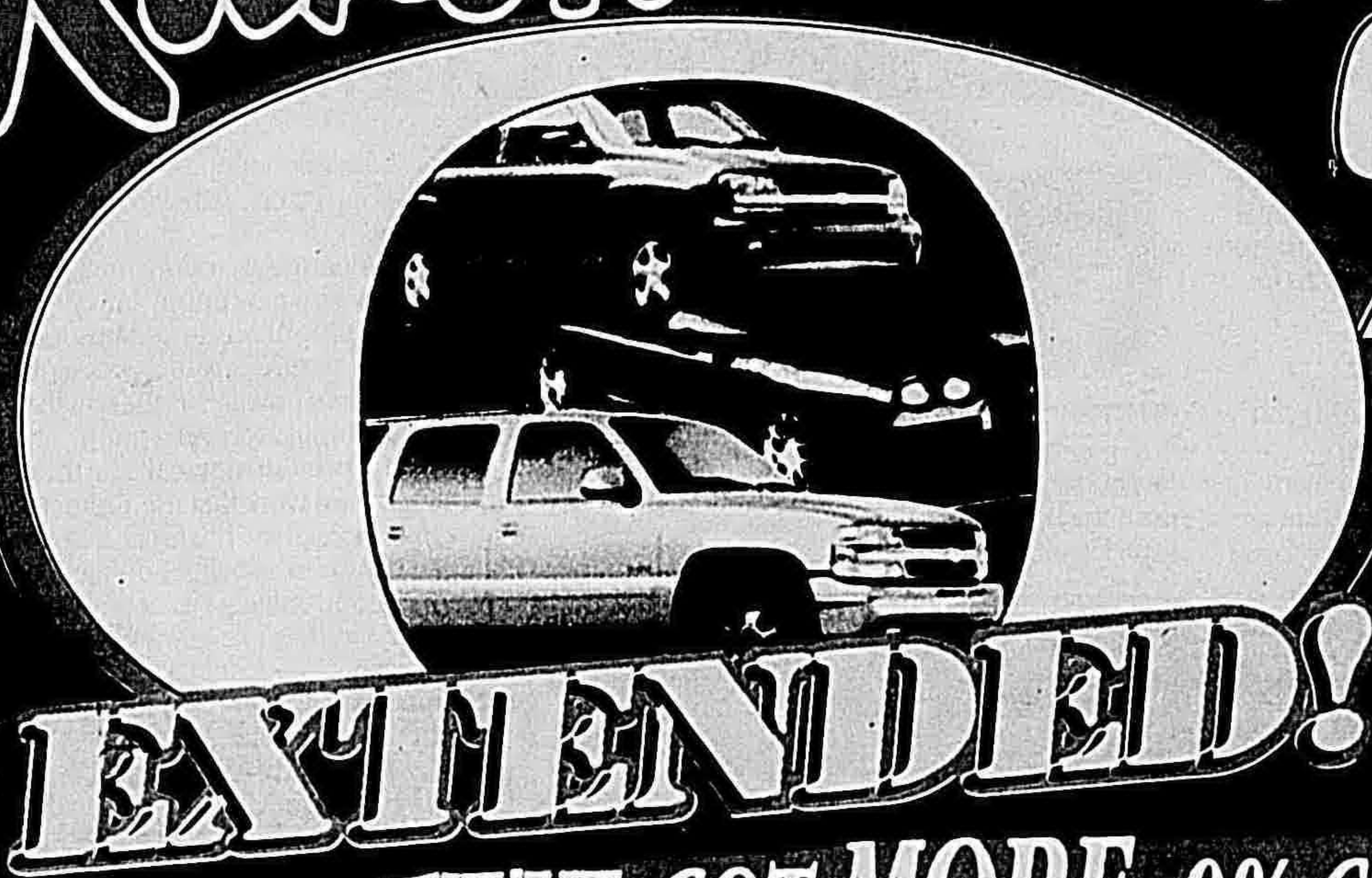
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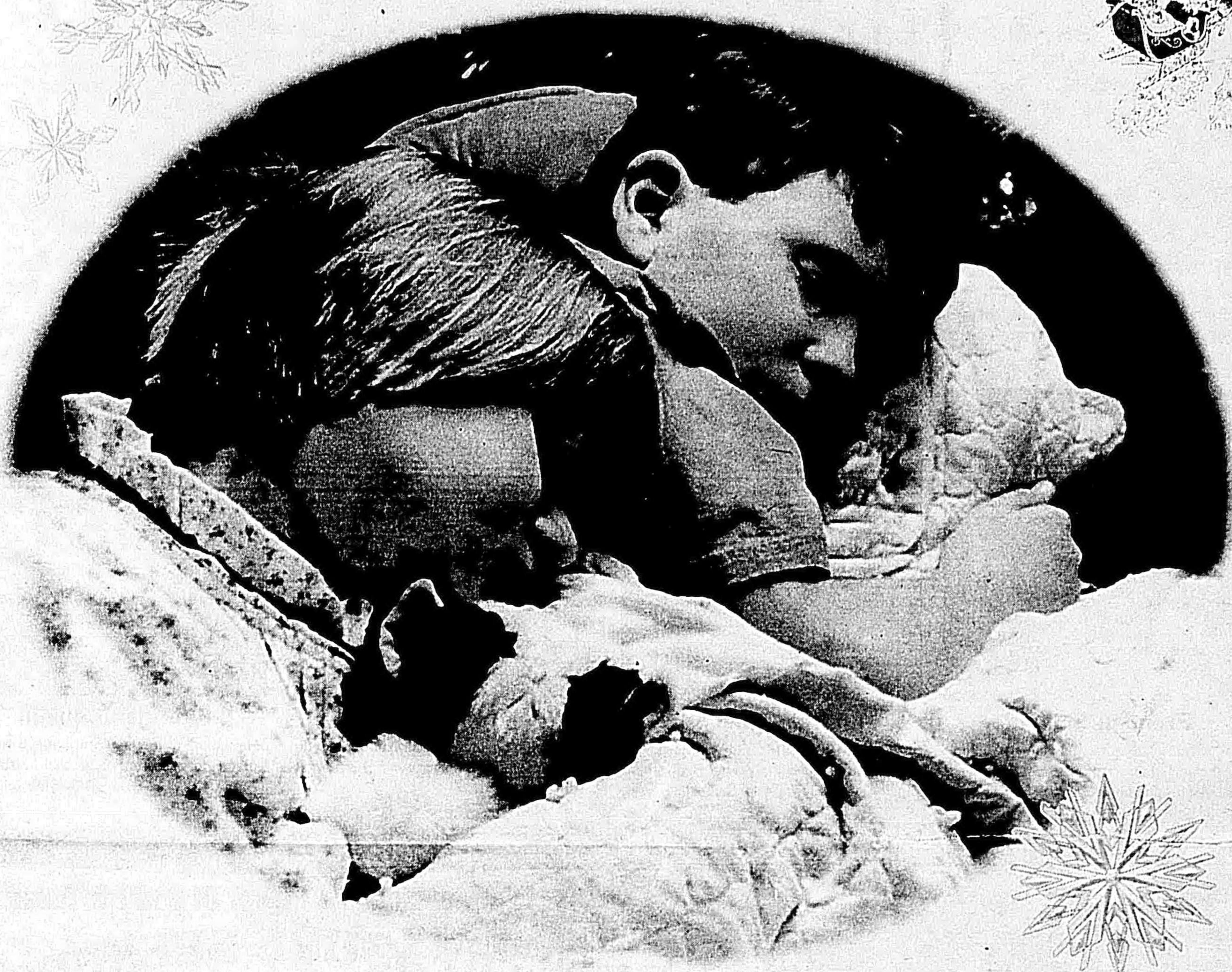
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COUNTDOWN to the holidays

Children's viewpoint of Christmas

Youngsters around Lake County may not have visions of sugar plums dancing in their head, but they are certainly looking forward to Christmas Eve and the arrival of Santa Claus.

A number of kids were polled on what time they thought Santa would arrive at their home on that exciting night, and though they were versed in the ways of Santa, a few were stumped on how he is able to deliver presents to every child before Christmas Day. —By Helen Conception

Millburn District 24



Brendan Schmidt

"I saw him (Santa) at a play and at school. He'll come when my whole family is asleep. His sleigh and reindeer make him fly with special powers. Rudolf is first."



Andreas Thedorf

"He'll come when the family is asleep. The reindeer have special powers to help them pull the sled and fly. It's special magic."



Allison Stickney

"He's going to come at midnight. He can do that 'cause his reindeer are fast. He has got eight."



Sheridan Conklin

"He's going to be there at midnight. He has got me a lot of presents. I don't know if he can be two places at once. The flying reindeer have magic."



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**Bryce Davidson**

"He'll be there at 12:30 a.m. on Christmas Eve. That lets the elves get their stuff together. With his sleigh and reindeer, they're magic."

**Kevin Ward**

"He'll come in the middle of the night. He'll wait till I'm asleep. I think he uses magic."

**Amanda Digman**

"I don't know when he's coming. I think when I'm asleep. He does it when you're asleep. He flies in his sleigh; it's magic."

**Amanda Falk**

"He'll come at night time. He starts before Christmas Eve. A few days before Christmas Eve, he starts. He has to wait until everyone's asleep."

Libertyville District 7

**Patrick Santi**

"I don't know when he's coming; I think the middle of the night. I go to bed around the time Santa comes. I'll try to tape him with the video camera. He goes with his reindeer. They have special powers."

**Stephanie Persin**

"I think he'll be there around 8:30 at night. I'll be asleep by then. He puts the presents down the chimney; I think he uses magic that makes the reindeer fast."

**Anna Milius**

"Santa will come around 8 o'clock because that's when I go to sleep. I won't try to stay up. He goes really fast in his sleigh."

**Joseph Coronelli**

"At 8 o'clock. That's when I go to bed. I won't stay up because he won't come. I think the reindeer are really fast. Santa might be magic."

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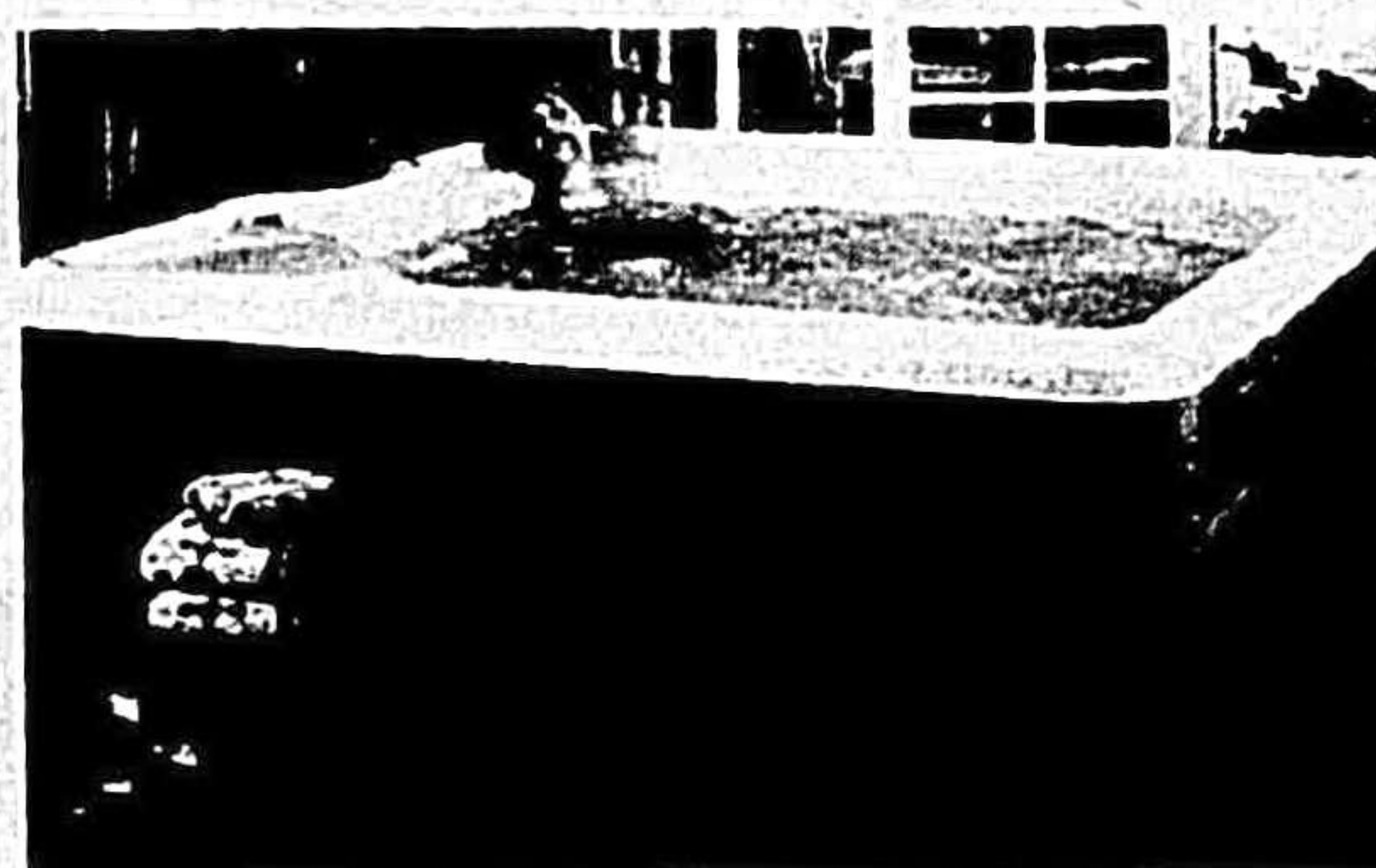
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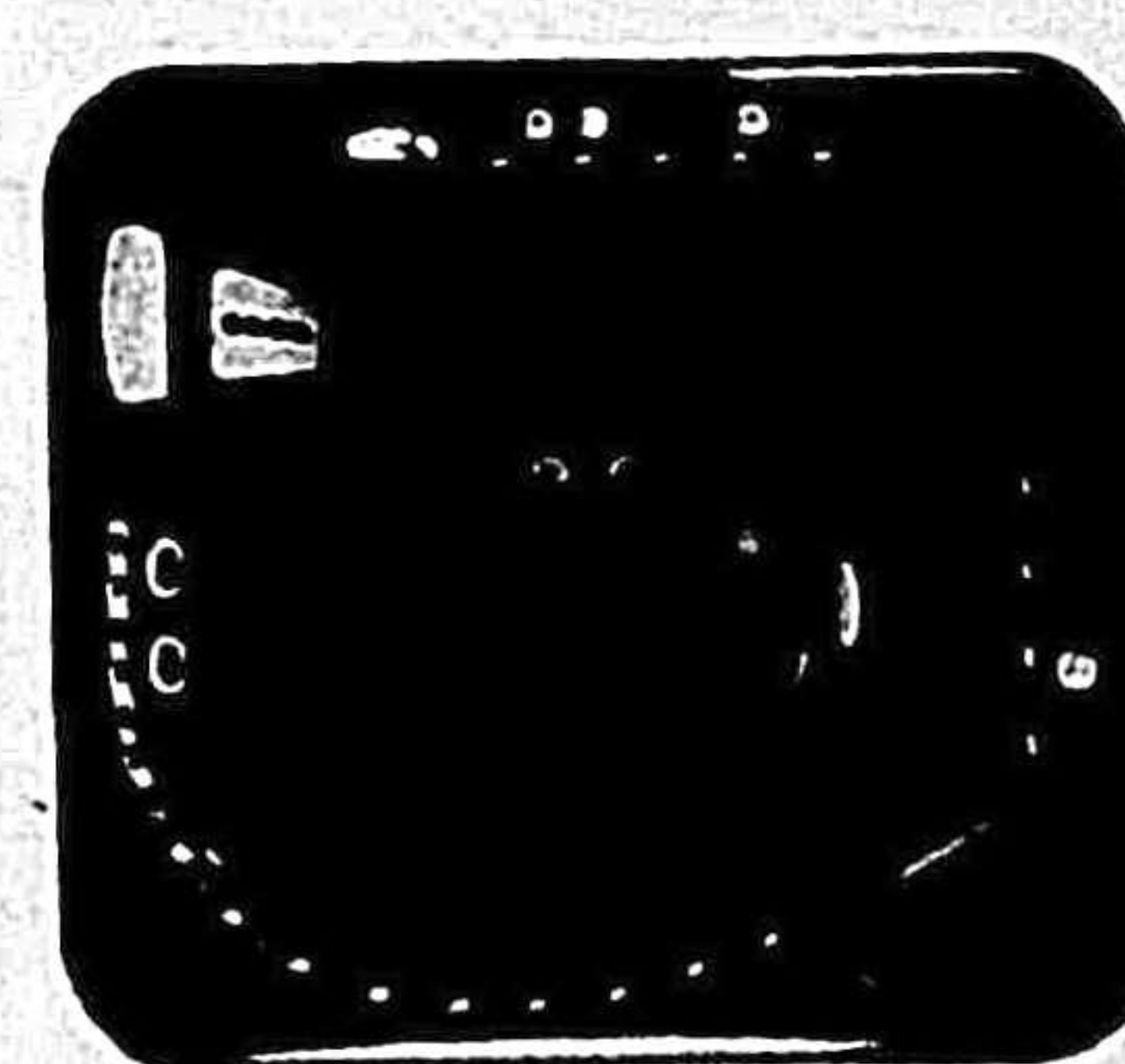
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The holiday season is upon us again. While you ponder what gifts to give your loved ones, we urge you to take a few moments to think of those less fortunate and those in need of the most basic elements of life. There are many local and regional groups in the area that rely on the kindness of the community to help others and many are in dire need of assistance. Remember that giving continues throughout the year.

Following is a list of organizations, both local and national, that accept donations of money and goods or that require volunteers to accomplish their goals. The groups vary in purpose and in their levels of need. Contact information is provided so that readers can call or write for more information.

You are encouraged to learn as much as you can about each agency before deciding to donate funds. *Lakeland Media* is not liable for any misleading information provided.

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Web:
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The mission of Central Baptist Families Services is to promote the physical, social, emotional, intellectual and spiritual development of children and their families in need through a wide variety of family-focused child welfare services. The group offers services such as a foster parent licensing and advising, day care services, counseling for children and families, adoption services and various community outreach programs.

CBFS also runs a day care service

called Bright Beginnings in Lake Villa and Busy Bee Day Care in Waukegan that often has openings for children to attend. All are welcome to call and arrange a visit to the centers and meet the teachers and staff. Bright Beginnings is also selling 2001-02 Entertainment books to raise funds. Call 847-356-4112 to find out how to get one.

There are also opportunities for community residents to become home day care providers with the assistance and resources offered by Bright Beginnings. Call 847-356-1021 for more information on these services.

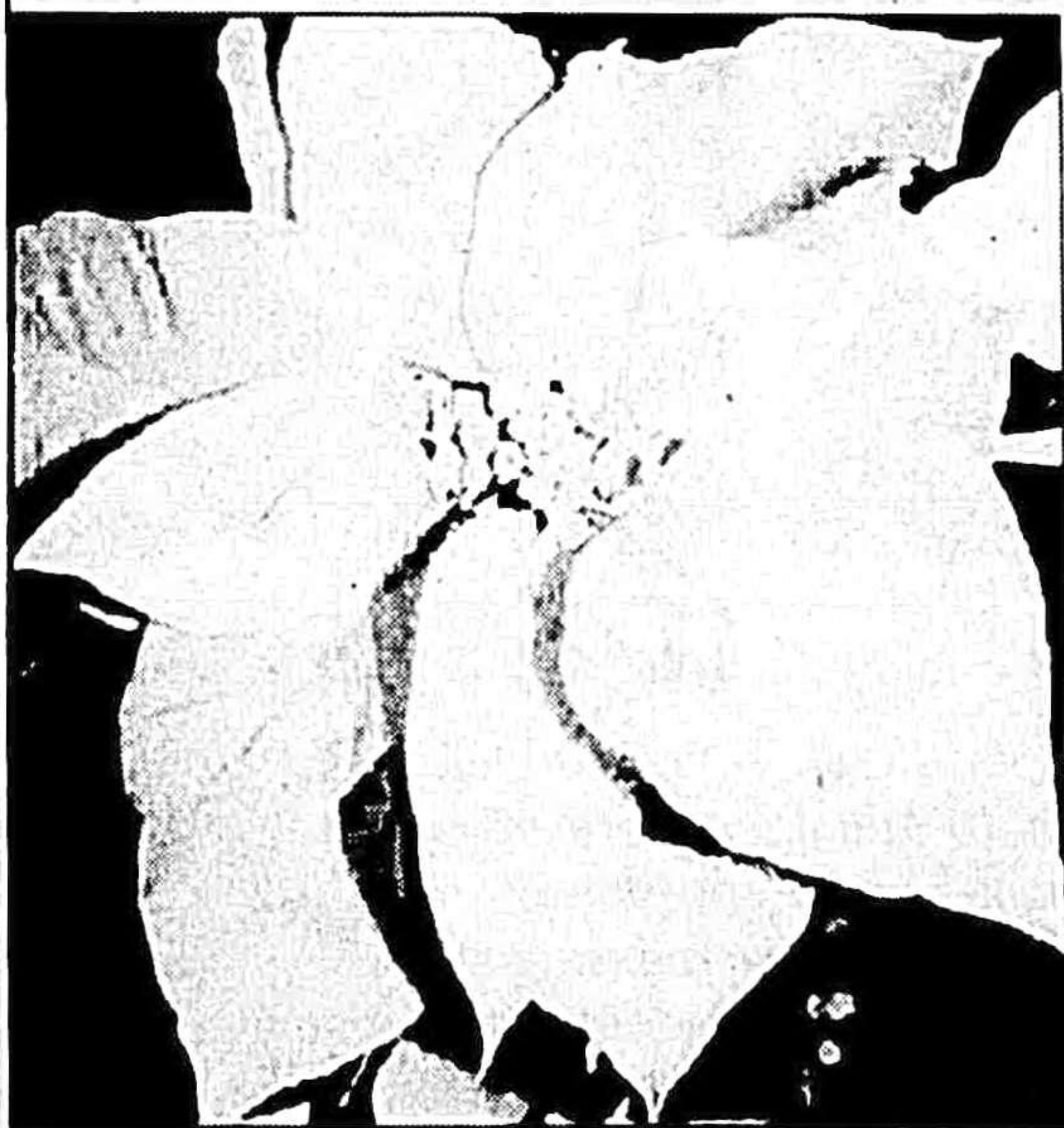
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LifeSource recruits donors, collects bone marrow, and draws blood to separate into useful components.

LifeSource's bone marrow registry is a regional recruiting center for potential donors in the National Marrow Donor Program. LifeSource also works with hospitals and transfusion experts to establish and provide new blood therapies.

You can help in several ways. The most obvious is to donate blood on a regular basis and encourage others to do so as well. Individuals can also help with one day blood drives held at area places of business - greet and register donors, serve refreshments, watch for adverse reactions, etc. For additional information, call the number above.

The local blood donation centers are located at:

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Gurnee, IL 60031
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•790 S. Rand Road
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LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL AGAINST SEXUAL ASSAULT (LACASA)

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The mission of LaCASA is to serve the needs of survivors of sexual assault and abuse and to educate the community to eliminate sexual violence.

LaCASA seeks to provide quality, comprehensive, client-centered services to survivors of sexual assault and abuse. These services are provided in partnership with the survivor in the spirit of equality, free from judgment or oppression.

The group believes that the women, men, and children served are entitled to respect, accessible services, privacy, empowerment, and advocacy.

LaCASA's services are free and are available to all survivors regardless of race, gender, language, ability, sexual orientation, or religion.

LaCASA seeks to be an active presence in the community to speak up in support of and in partnership with all survivors of sexual violence.

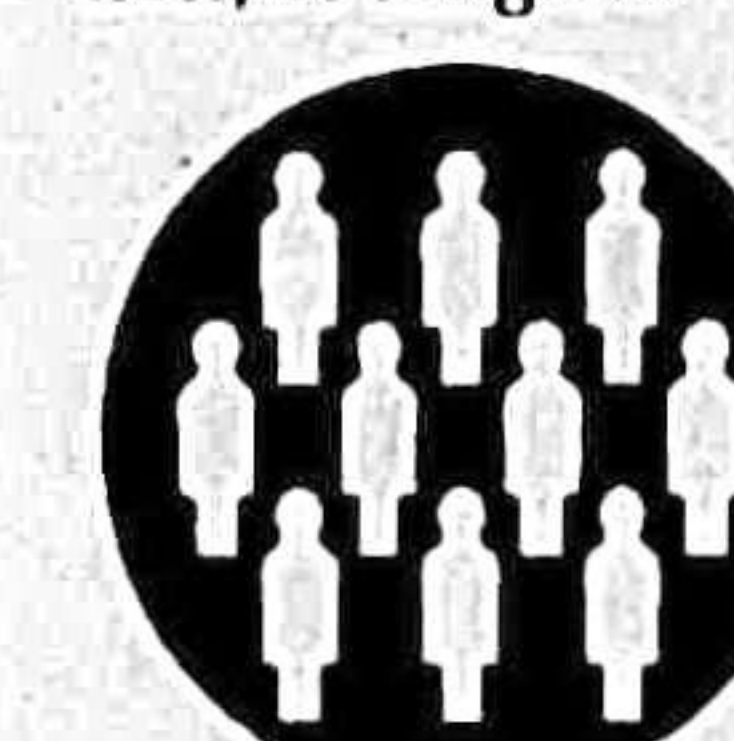
LaCASA provides services to the community at large and to other professionals and service providers to enhance the understanding of the impact of sexual violence on everyone.

There are many ways to help. Volunteers are always welcome and monetary donations are gratefully accepted.

Volunteer opportunities include the following:

Medical advocacy - Respond to Lake

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Child Assault Prevention (CAP) - Convey personal safety information through classroom presentations with children in Lake County schools.

Hotline advocacy - Provide emotional support and information to survivors and their loved ones over the telephone.

Court Advocacy - Attend legal proceedings of sexual assault cases in the Lake County Courthouse.

Women's Auxiliary Board - Participate with a team of women to conduct one major fundraising event each year.

Board of Directors - Guide the agency in fiscal and program planning.

Opportunities for financial assistance include: Sending a check, becoming an AUNT or UNCLE, buying a commemorative brick, supporting the Client Holiday Program, and giving to the Client Food Pantry.

Participation in direct service volunteer programs requires completion of LaCASA's volunteer training course (40-60 hours), a post-training interview, and application materials, including references and a background check. Contact the Director of Volunteer Services at 847-244-1187 for an upcoming training schedule.

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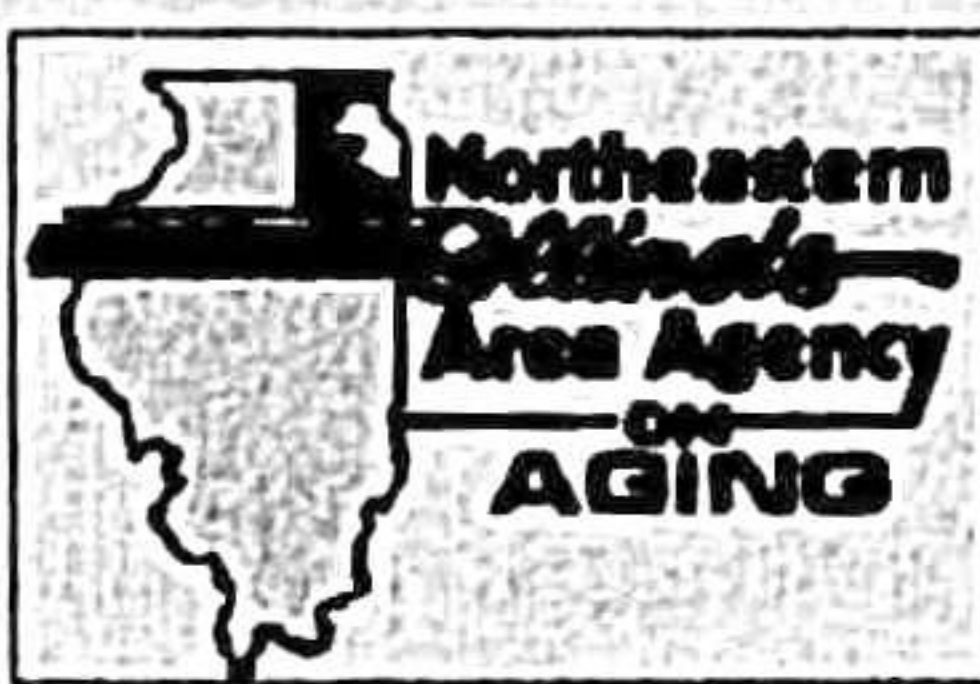
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3. Good King Wenceslas was king of which country?

- A) Abyssinia
B) England
C) Bohemia
D) Gondor

4. Medieval English Christmas pantomimes did NOT include which character?

- A) St. Nicholas
B) The Bold Slasher
C) Father Christmas
D) The Turkish Knight

6. In North America, children put stockings out at Christmas time.

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5. The name of Scrooge's deceased business partner in Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol was:

- A) Bob Cratchit B) Jerry Cornelius
C) Bill Sykes D) Jacob Marley

7. The poinsettia, a traditional Christmas flower, originally grew in which country?

- A) Canada B) China
C) Mexico
D) Spain

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Which name does NOT belong to one of Santa's reindeer?

- A) Comet B) Prancer
C) Blitzen D) Klaxon



Answers
1. B) On December 25—Guatemalan adults, however, do not exchange gifts until New Year's Day. Children get theirs (from the Christ Child) on Christmas morning.
2. B) 1895—The idea for using electric Christmas lights came from an American, Ralph E. Morris. The new lights proved safer than the traditional candles.
3. C) Bohemia—The historical Wenceslas was actually only Duke of Bohemia, not a king. He lived in the tenth century.
4. A) St. Nicholas—In Medieval England, Nicholas was just another saint - he had not yet metamorphosed into Santa Claus and had nothing to do with Christmas.
5. D) Jacob Marley—Jacob Marley's spirit was the first of four to appear to Scrooge on Christmas Eve.
6. C) Shoes—Dutch children set out shoes to receive Christmas.
7. C) Mexico—In Mexico, the poinsettia is known as the 'Flower of the Holy Night'. It was first brought to America by Joel Poinsett in 1829.
8. D) Klaxon—A klaxon is actually an electric horn.

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Baking with kids

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1. Wash your hands with lots of soap and water.
2. Read the recipe carefully and assemble the ingredients before you begin.
3. Be sure to show children how to measure correctly: Pour liquids into a glass measuring cup placed on a flat surface and read it at eye level; spoon dry ingredients into graduated measuring cups or spoons and level off tops with a spatula.
4. Use thick, dry potholders when moving cookies into or out of the oven.
5. Clean up when you're done. Put away ingredients, wash and put away the dishes, and wipe the counters, table and stovetop.

Kids projects



More peanut butter, please

Ryan Sawusch, 3, assembles an ornament made from a pinecone and peanut butter with some help from his mother, Tammy, at the Round Lake Park District Nature Museum during a Christmas tree trimming event. —Photo by David Krueger

Easiest Decorated Cookies

Cookie cutters come in countless shapes and sizes, so the possibilities are almost endless. Here's the easiest possible way to fill the jar with decorated cookies. By using Pillsbury® Refrigerated Cookies, you and your helpers get to the fun faster!

1. Start with 1 package of Pillsbury Refrigerated Sugar Cookies. Chill the dough thoroughly.

2. Heat the oven to 350 degrees F. Cut the dough in half; refrigerate one half of the dough while you work with the other half.

3. Generously sprinkle about 1/4 cup of flour onto the work surface. Remove the cookie dough from the wrapper; coat the sides of the dough with flour. Roll out the dough to 1/8-inch thickness using

additional flour to prevent sticking.

4. Cut the rolled dough into desired shapes with cookie cutters dipped in flour. Leave little space between shapes when cutting them out. Gently remove excess flour from the cookies. Carefully remove any excess dough from around the cookies. Shape this dough into a ball, chill it and reroll it.

5. With a pancake turner or spatula, gently lift the cut out cookies; place them 2 inches apart on cool, ungreased cookie sheets. Leave the cookies plain for decorating later, or sprinkle with colored decorator sugar or candy sprinkles.

6. Bake at 350 degrees F. for 7 to 9 minutes or until edges are light golden brown. Cool 1 minute; remove from cookie sheet with a spatula. Cool completely, then decorate as desired.

Snow Globe Cookie

What you need:

- 1/4 cup Pillsbury BEST® All Purpose Flour
- 1 (18-oz.) pkg. Pillsbury® Refrigerated Sugar Cookies
- 1 can Pillsbury® Creamy Supreme® Vanilla Frosting
- 5 drops green food color
- 10 drops blue food color
- 1/3 cup coconut
- Assorted small candies

What to do:

1. Heat oven to 350°F. Line large cookie sheet with foil. Sprinkle flour over work surface. Cut roll of cookie dough in half crosswise. Return one half to refrigerator.

2. To form top of globe, shape dough into ball; roll in flour to coat. Place on one end of foil-lined cookie sheet. Press or roll into 10-inch round.

3. Remove remaining half of dough from refrigerator. Cut dough in half. To form base of globe, shape one half into ball; roll in flour to coat. Press or roll into 8-inch round. Cut round in half; place half round next to 10-inch round on foil-lined cookie sheet, rounded edges touching.

4. Bake at 350°F. for 7 to 11 minutes or until light golden brown. Cool 30 minutes or until completely cooled. Carefully peel foil from back of cookie; place cookie on tray or foil-covered cardboard.

5. Meanwhile, grease cookie sheet. Coat remaining dough with flour; roll to 1/8-inch thickness. With floured cookie cutters, cut two 3 1/2 to 4-inch trees, one 3 1/2 to 4-inch snowman and three 1 1/4-inch stars. Bake at 350°F. Bake stars for 2 to 3 minutes; bake trees and snowman for 7 to 10 minutes or until light golden brown. Cool 1 minute; remove from cookie sheet. Cool 30 minutes or until completely cooled.

6. Use 1/3 cup white frosting to frost base of globe. Frost stars and snowman with white frosting. In small bowl, combine 2 tablespoons frosting and green food color; blend well. Frost trees. To remaining frosting, add blue food color; blend well. Frost globe.

7. Arrange trees, snowman and stars on blue-frosted globe. Sprinkle coconut to resemble snow-covered ground; sprinkle some in "sky" for falling snow. Decorate snowman and trees as desired with candy. Makes one large cookie; ready in one hour, 25 minutes.*

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Be sure to have all the recipes and ingredients laid out in advance. You may wish to ask your guests, when they RSVP what kind of cookies they like best. This will give you a few days to research the recipes. If you are planning on a large variety and lots of cookies, be sure to have several cookie sheets to rotate in and out of the oven.

Kitchens tend to be made with only a limited number of people in mind. To increase the space within which to work, move some of the ingredients to the dining room table or even a smaller card table (if kids are involved and they will be involved if they are present).

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There was a kindly nobleman, with a lovely wife, and three daughters and lots of money. But the mother became very ill and died. The man, in his despair, wasted away his money on silly projects and inventions. His family was forced to move out of their castle and into a little cottage. His daughters continued to grow up and eventually fell in love and wished to marry. They couldn't get married, however, because their father was too poor to afford a dowry for even one of them.

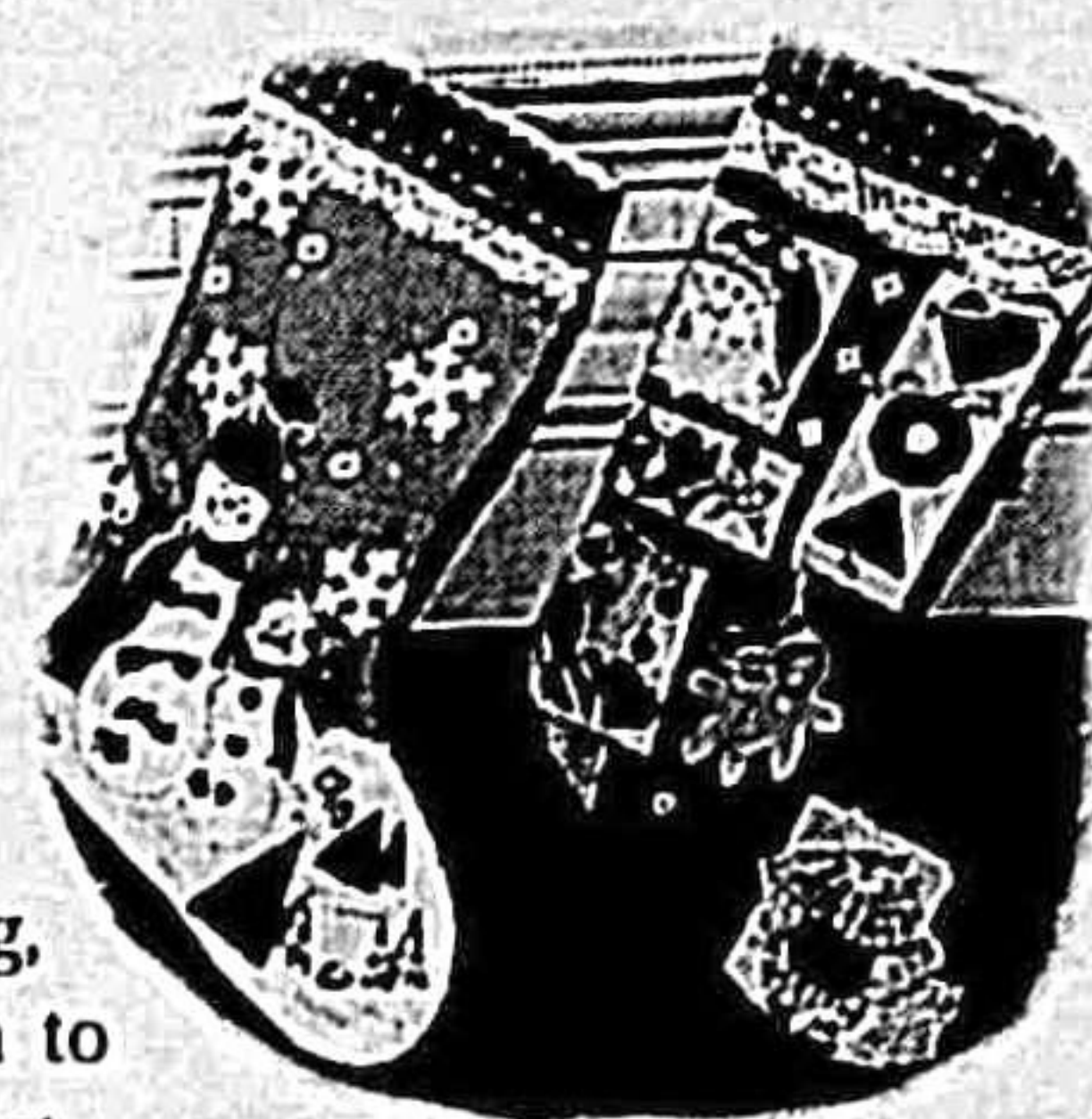
Saint Nicholas lived in the same area, and because he had dedicated his whole life to doing good deeds and was always looking for someone in true need, he came riding into town on his white horse one night to find the nobleman's cottage. That same night, the daughters had washed their clothing and hung them to dry by the fireplace. Their three pairs of stockings were hanging right on the chimney. From his pouch, he took out three little bags of gold coins and dropped them into the stockings.

The nobleman heard a small disturbance and rose to hear the horse trotting away. He

only got a small glimpse of the stranger. The next morning, the daughters found their stocking full of gold, enough to allow a generous dowry and increase their family's comfort.

Children all over the world now hang their stockings—at least in the British Isles, Australia, New Zealand and the United States. In many European countries, children also hang their stockings, but they nail them up the night before Saint Nicholas Day, Dec. 6th and so the tradition is somewhat separated from the celebration of Christmas. Children in France put their shoes out on the hearth, a tradition that dates back to when French children wore wooden peasant shoes.

In Holland, children fill their shoes with hay and a carrot for the Saint's horse. In the night, Sintirklaas slides down the chimney, gathers the hay and puts a present in each child's shoe. In Italy, children set out their shoes for La Befana, the good witch.—*From ChildFun.com**



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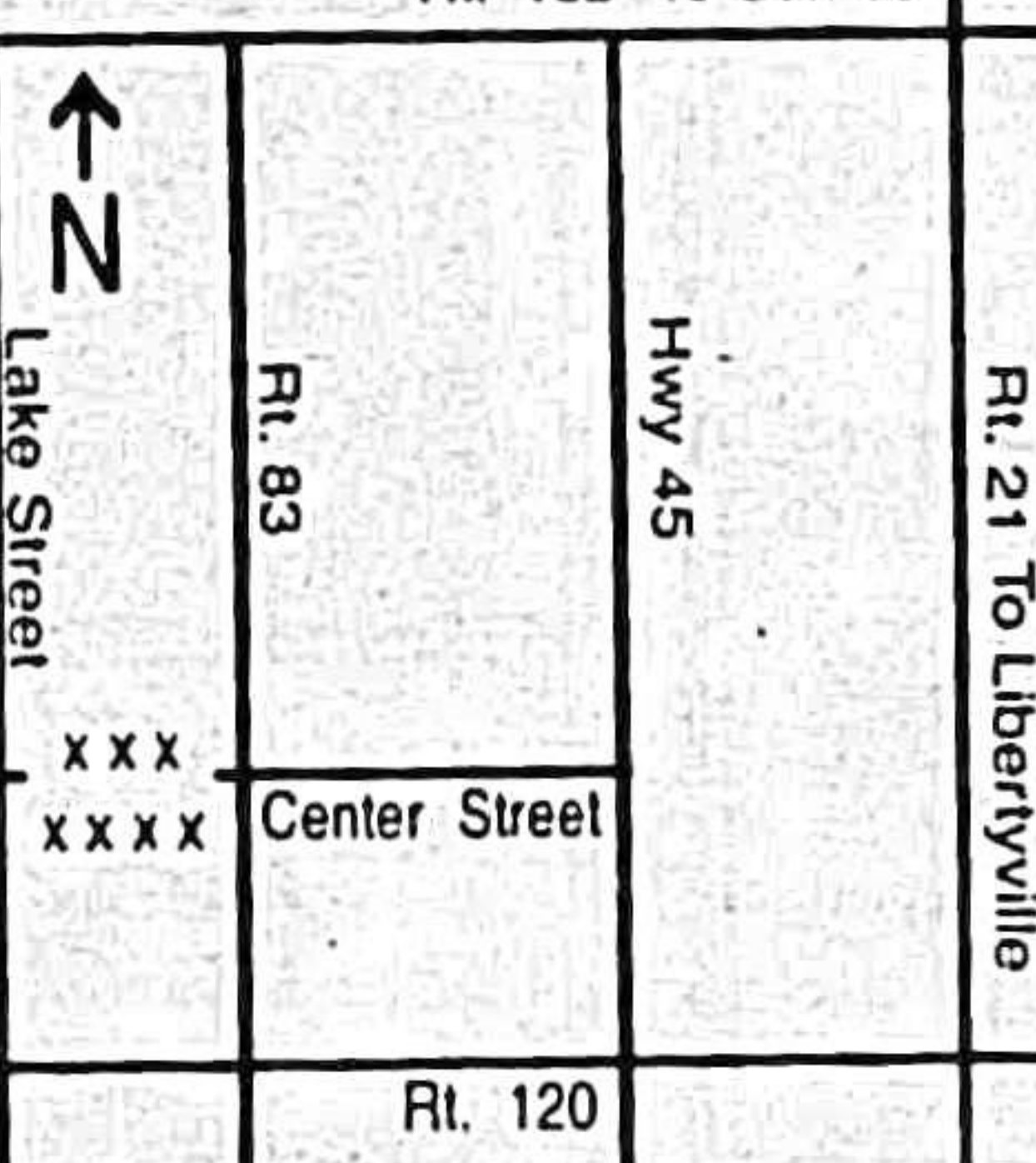
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When Christmas came about, we incorporated, rather than dismissed, many of these practices as Christmas customs. Of course, this was done only if these activities and items were considered harmless and availed themselves to a Christian interpretation.

The use of evergreens was and is most widespread in England and Germany. We can trace it back at least 500 years ago when religious meaning began to be associated with these plants. *

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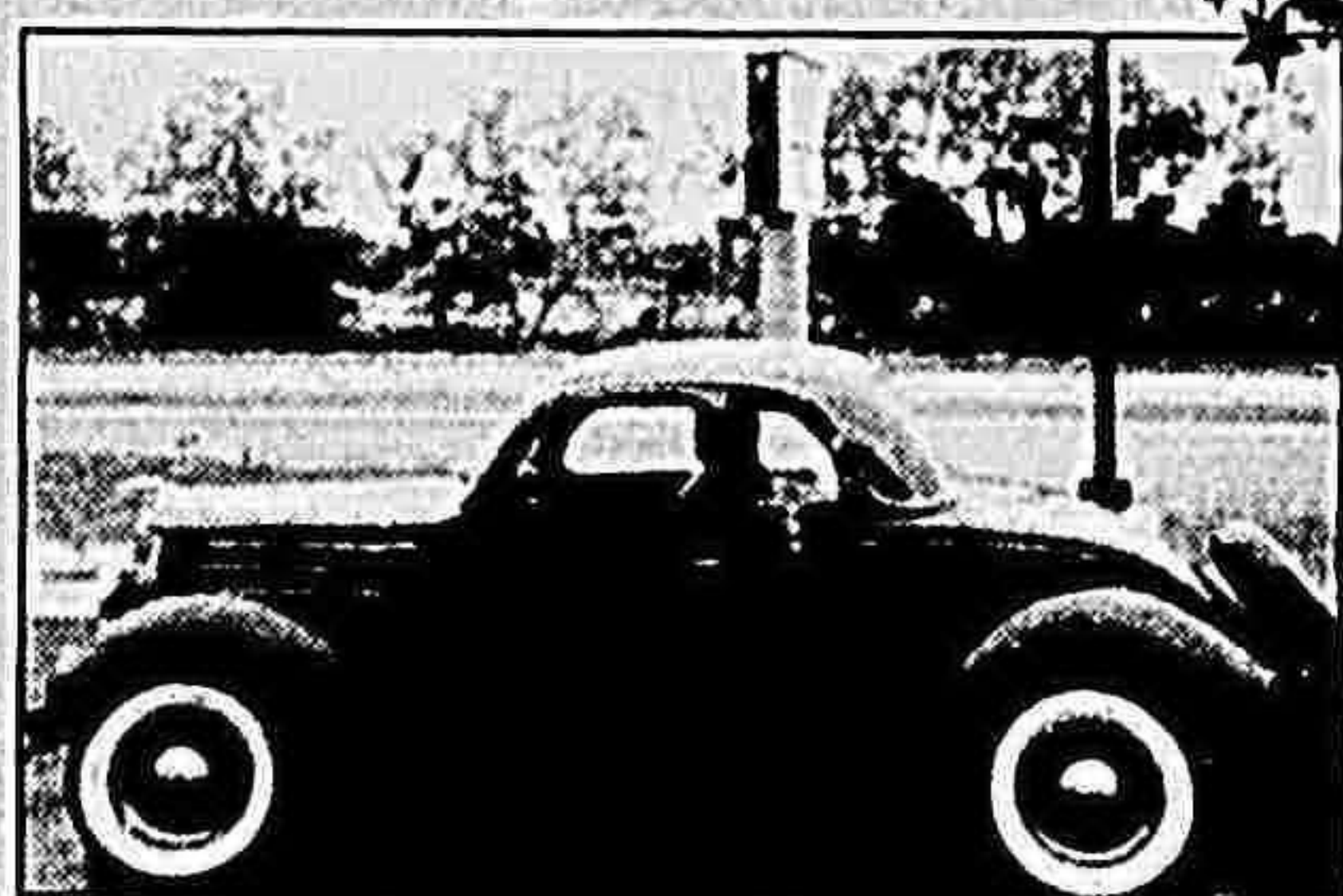
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Jessica Bonnot, 8, of Lindenhurst tells Santa Claus, portrayed by Carl Norlin, that she would like a drum set for Christmas during a visit to the Lindenhurst-Lake Villa Chamber of Commerce Santa House at Linden Plaza.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

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Christmas movie favorites

The tradition of Christmas movies is as old as moviemaking itself. There's an 1899 movie called Santa Claus that shows Saint Nick trimming the tree, filling the stockings, and then disappearing through the chimney. (Those were simpler times.) The most beloved Christmas movies are about showing compassion, appreciating your loved ones, helping others, and avoiding crass commercialism. In short, messages that are right in line with the holiday spirit. Enjoy!

1. Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer

This classic made-for-TV movie premiered in 1964 and it's been delighting generations of kids ever since. Its popularity is so lasting that you can buy plush-toy versions of the characters. You probably saw it when you were a child, but if not, it tells the story of Rudolph, a reindeer with a nose that lights up. He's looking for a place where he belongs. After some searching, he finds that place leading Santa's sleigh. Special guest appearances by the Abominable Snowman and the misfit toys make this movie extra-special.

2. Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town

This 1970 TV movie (made with the same stop-motion animation as Rudolph) is also a holiday favorite. It's about Kris Kringle — the man who becomes Santa Claus — and how he brings toys to children in a town that has outlawed them. Kris is helped by an adorable penguin who wears a striped scarf. Along the way, he meets the future Mrs. Claus and they get married. But what really makes this a classic is the fearsome Winter Warlock's transformation into a compassionate wizard with the wonderful song "Put One Foot In Front of the Other."

3. A Christmas Carol

Whether you like the 1984 version starring George C. Scott or the 1976, 1977, 1999, or 2000 version — a remake seems to come out every year — this is a holiday classic. The film adaptation of a story by Charles Dickens, about an old miser named Scrooge who learns compassion when three ghosts visit him on Christmas Eve, makes a great holiday movie because it's thrilling and it has a nice message. You may want to choose a version you're familiar with because some representations of the Ghost of Christmas Future can be pretty scary.

4. How the Grinch Stole Christmas

The original 1966 animated classic is the only version that does justice to Dr. Seuss. In it, the Grinch (a non-human Scrooge) tries to ruin Christmas for the Whos in Whoville by stealing their presents, trees, and holiday treats. Of course, the Grinch has a change of heart and finds love and

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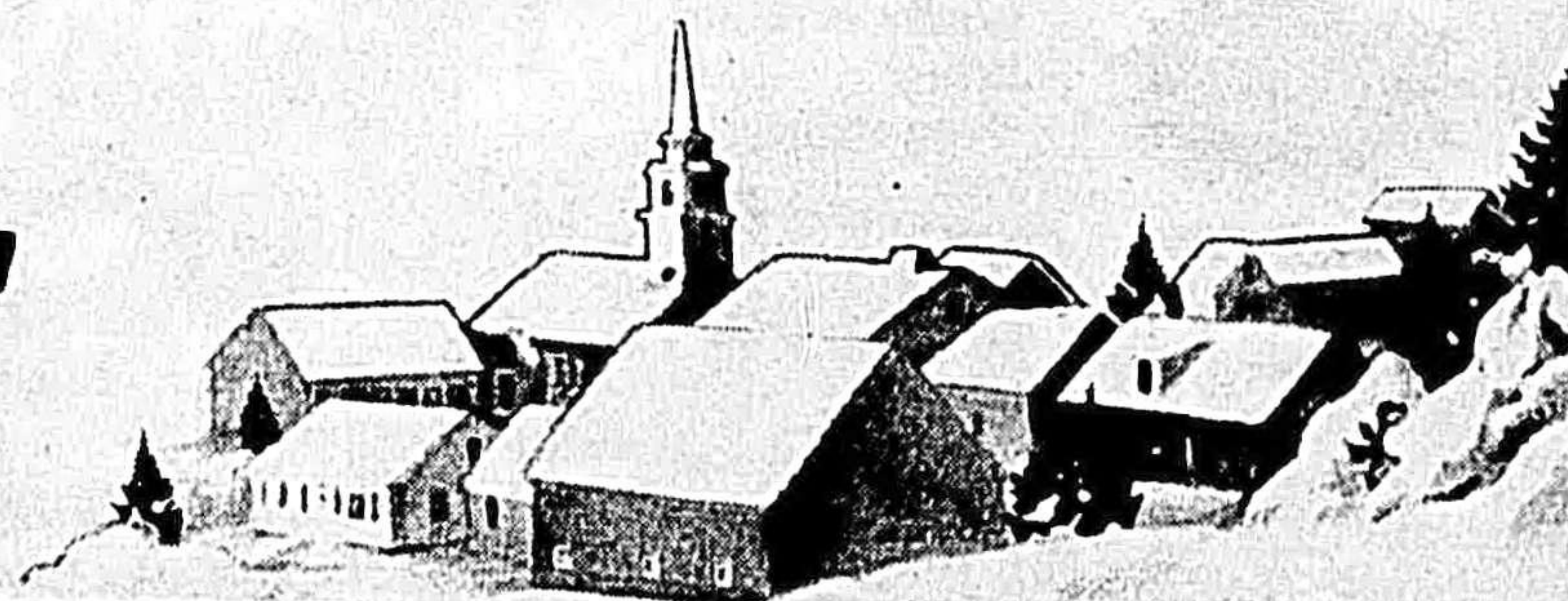


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friendship with the Whos. Boris Karloff is the excellent voice of the Grinch. Kids will be enchanted by the whimsy and wonder and by the Grinch's pet dog.

5. A Charlie Brown Christmas

In this half-hour Christmas special, Charlie Brown becomes the director of the school holiday pageant and goes out with Linus to buy an aluminum tree for the show. (You could easily find an aluminum tree in the 1960s, when this special was made.) Instead, they bring back a forlorn real tree. Our hapless hero finds himself dismayed by the rampant commercialization of the holidays and searches for the true meaning of Christmas.

6. It's a Wonderful Life

What holiday movie list would be complete without this 1946 Frank Capra classic, starring James Stewart? It wasn't originally intended to be a Christmas movie and the plot summary may sound grim: a man about to commit suicide during the holidays because he's financially ruined is stopped by an angel who shows him what life would be like if he'd never existed. It's shown on TV about 200 times during the holiday season, which obscures the fact that it's a charming movie — part romance, part pathos, and a celebration of life.

7. Miracle on 34th Street

In this sweet 1947 movie, a Macy's executive tries to find a new store Santa. She hires an old man named Kris Kringle who claims to be the one-and-only Santa Claus. Of course, such claims can get you into trouble and Kris ends up being hospitalized for some kind of delusional disorder. Hope comes in the form of a young man who wants to help and Kris goes to court to prove that he is really and truly Santa. Does he win? Do candy canes have stripes?

8. The Year Without a Santa Claus

Another stop-motion classic from the '70s, in which Santa finds himself feeling too discouraged to make his Christmas rounds. He's sick and he doesn't think that kids believe in him anymore. Two elves embark on a quest to find children who still believe in Santa in the hopes that they can convince him to go out. But they have to get past the Heat Miser and the Cold Miser (who control the weather) before they can get to a town where it never snows for Christmas. The plot is pretty flimsy, but children won't mind — they'll be too taken with the Misers and their catchy musical numbers.

9. Little Women

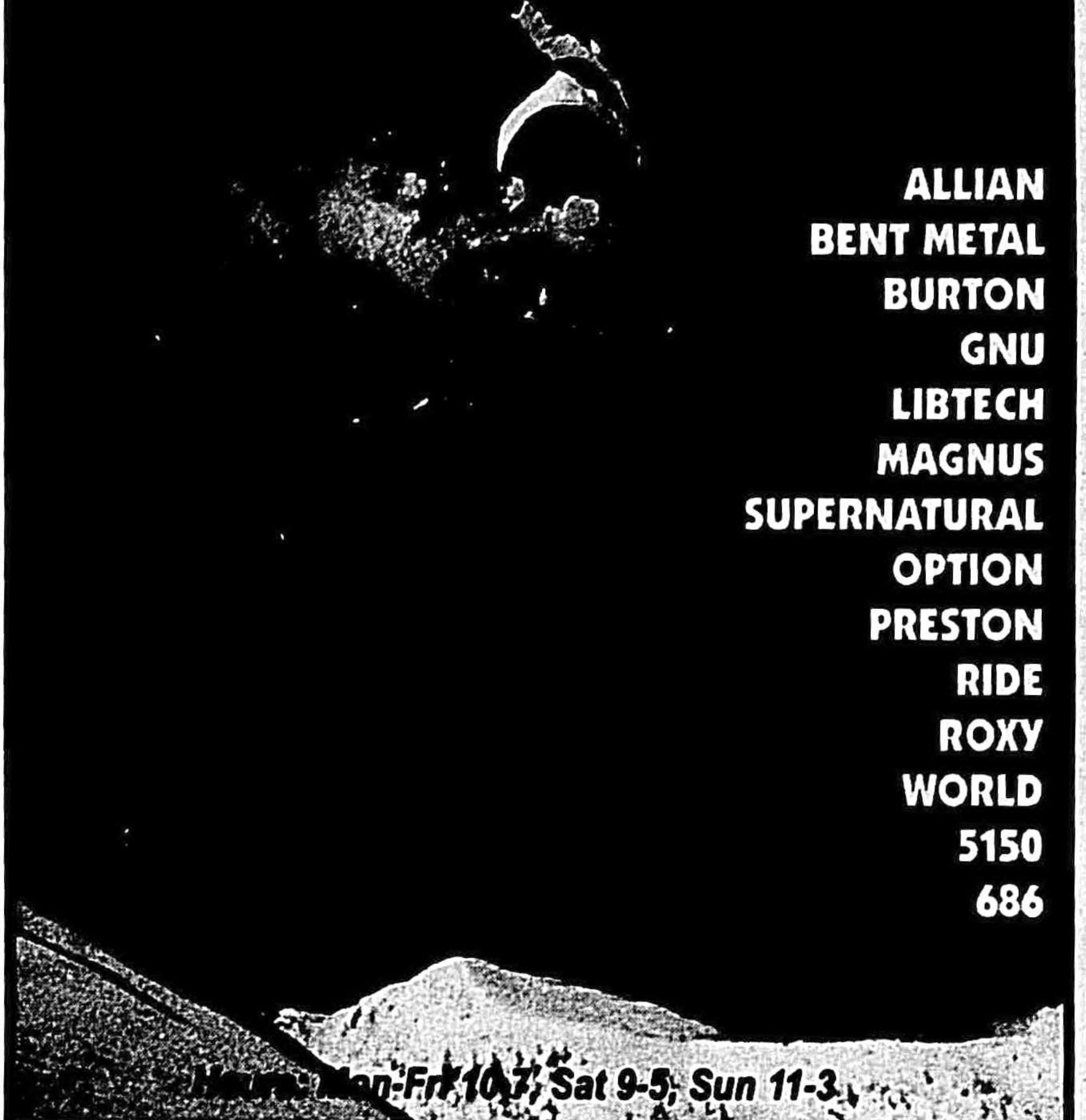
This 1994 adaptation of Louisa May Alcott's beloved children's book tells the story of the five March daughters and their mother — how they live and keep their family strong during the Civil War. This movie is a celebration of family and creativity (the Marches make up stories and act out plays to entertain themselves). It's also about growing up and leaving childhood behind. There are some very nice scenes that take place during the holidays and have a message about generosity. This is a slower, more gentle movie that may not hold the attention of children under the age of 10.

10. A Christmas Story

This 1983 comedy celebrates the sort of Christmas a young boy may have had in the 1940s. Young Ralphie Parker wants only one thing: a Red Ryder Carbine Action 200 Shot Range Model Air Rifle. His parents don't want him to shoot his eye out and refuse to get it. Wacky hijinks ensue as Ralphie develops some very creative ploys to convince his mother and father that this is the only thing they should give him. —<http://www.familyeducation.com> *

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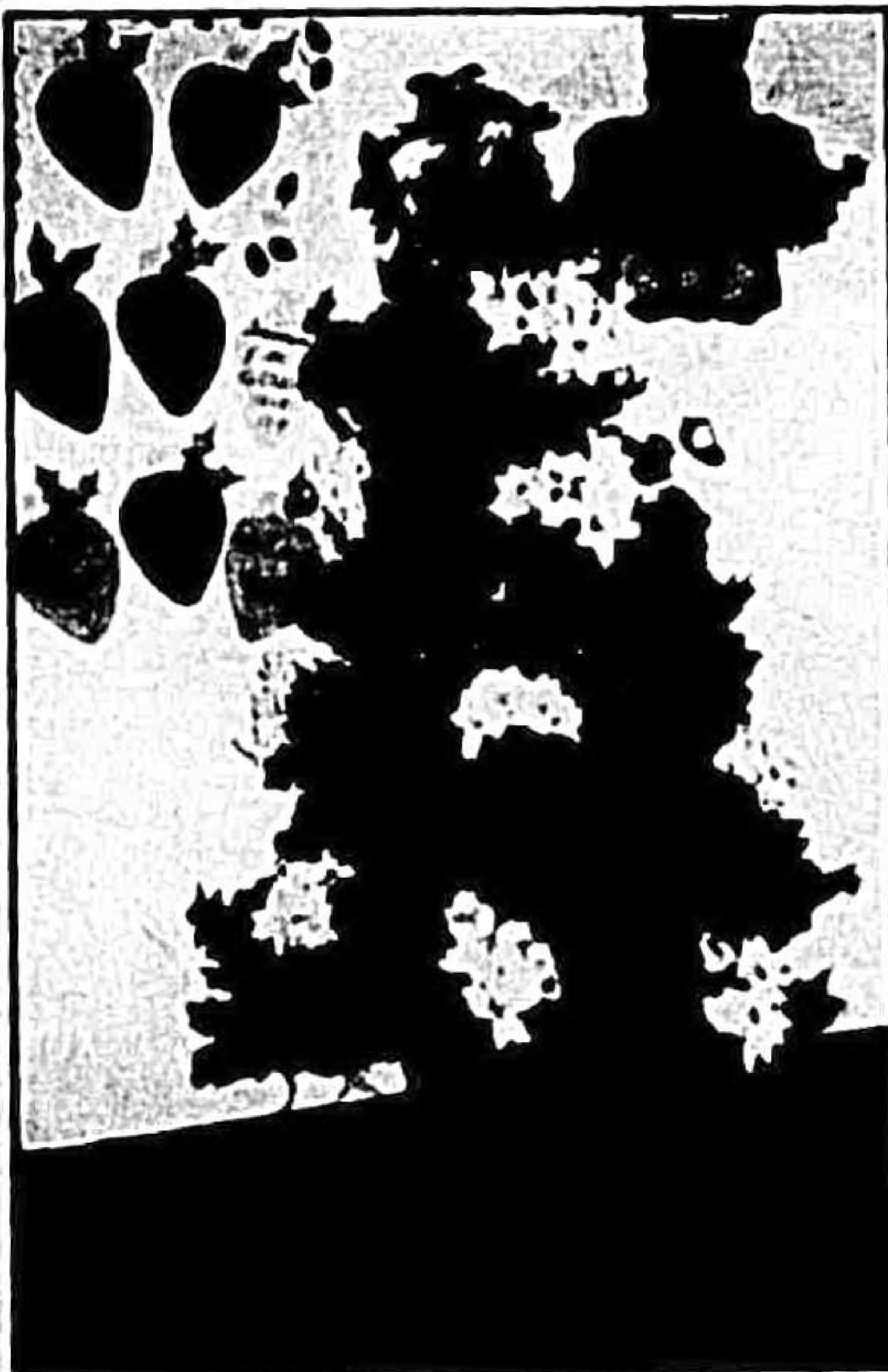
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Shedding light on the candle's history

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candles have cast a light on man's progress. However, many people aren't aware of the origin of candles, named for the Latin word "candere," which means "to shine." Although it is often written that the first candles were developed by the Ancient Egyptians who used rushlights, or torches, made by soaking the pithy core of reeds in molten tallow, the rushlights had no wick, like today's modern candles. It is the Romans who are credited with developing the wick candle, using it to aid travelers at dark, and lighting homes and places of worship at night.

Like the early Egyptians, the Romans relied on tallow, gathered from cattle or sheep suet (lard), as the principal ingredient of candles. It was not until the Middle Ages when beeswax, a substance secreted by honey bees to make their honeycombs, was introduced. Beeswax candles were a marked improvement over those made with tallow, for they did not produce a smoky flame, or emit an acrid odor when burned. Instead, beeswax candles burned pure and clean. However, they were expensive, and therefore, only the wealthy could afford them.

Colonial women offered America's first contribution to candle making when they discovered that boiling the grayish green berries of bayberry bushes produced a sweet-smelling wax that burned clean. However, extracting the wax from the bayberries was extremely tedious. As a result, the popularity of bayberry candles soon diminished.

The growth of the whaling industry in the late eighteenth century brought the first major change in candle making since the Middle Ages, when spermaceti, a wax obtained by crystallizing whale oil, was produced. This new wax did not elicit a repugnant odor when burned. Furthermore, spermaceti wax was found harder than both tallow and beeswax, which meant that it did not soften or bend in the summer heat. Historians



note that the first "standard candles" were made from spermaceti wax.

It was during the nineteenth century when most major developments affecting contemporary candle making occurred. In 1834, inventor Joseph Morgan introduced a machine which allowed continuous production of molded candles by the use of a cylinder which featured a movable piston that ejected candles as they solidified. Further developments in candle making occurred in 1850 with the production of paraffin wax made from oil and coal shales.

Processed by distilling the residues left after crude petroleum was refined, the bluish-white paraffin wax was found to burn cleanly, and with no unpleasant odor. Of greatest significance was its cost—paraffin wax was more economical to produce than any preceding candle fuel developed. And while paraffin's low melting point may have posed a threat to its popularity, the discovery of stearic acid solved this problem. Hard and durable, stearic acid was being produced in quantity by the end of the nineteenth century. By this period, most candles being manufactured consisted of paraffin and stearic acid.

With the introduction of the light bulb in 1879, candle making declined until the turn of the century, when a renewed popularity for candles emerged, with candles more as a novelty than a necessity. It was probably at this point that candles

began to be seen as a decorating accessory that also had a lot of function. Early electric systems would often find themselves succumbing to weather and other difficulties, make candles a useful tool to keep handy. Candle manufacturing was further enhanced during the first half of the twentieth century through the growth of U.S. oil and meat-packing industries. Along with the increase of crude oil and meat production came an increase in the by-products

that are the basic ingredients of contemporary candles—paraffin and stearic acid. A surplus of these ingredients helped keep candles affordable for everyone—including those who could not pay their electric bill.

No longer man's major source of light, candles continue to grow in popularity and use even more so today. As we approach the new century, candles continue to symbolize celebration, mark romance, define ceremony and accent decor—casting a warm and unique glow for all to enjoy.*

Tips: Burning Candles Safely

The National Candle Association recommends the following safety tips when burning candles:

Never leave a burning candle unattended. Extinguish all candles when leaving a room or before going to sleep.

Always burn candles on protected, heat-resistant surfaces specifically designed for candle use. The holder should be big enough to collect dripping wax.

Keep burning candles away from anything flammable, such as furniture, drapes, bedding, carpets, books, flammable decorations, etc.

Clean and trim candlewicks to 1/8 inch to 1/4 inch before lighting. Long or crooked wicks cause uneven burning and dripping. Keep candles free of wick trimmings, matches or any flammable material that might ignite.

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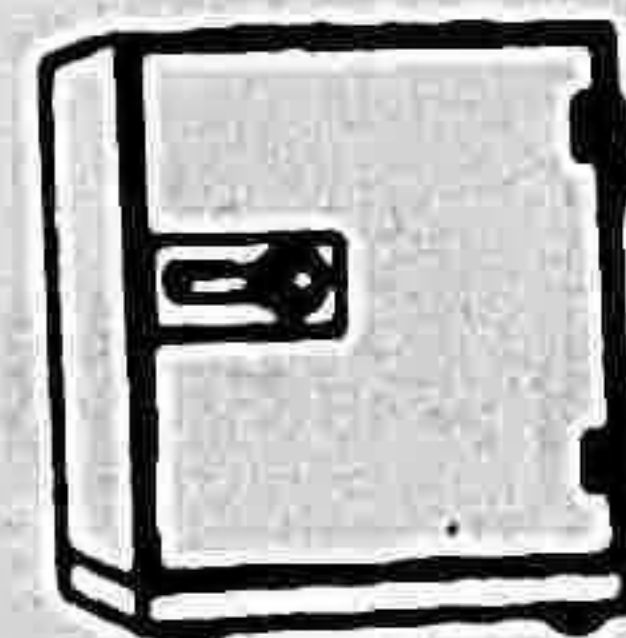
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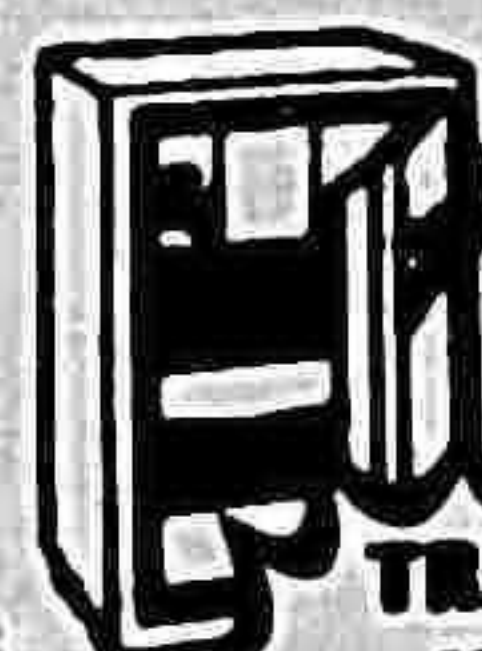


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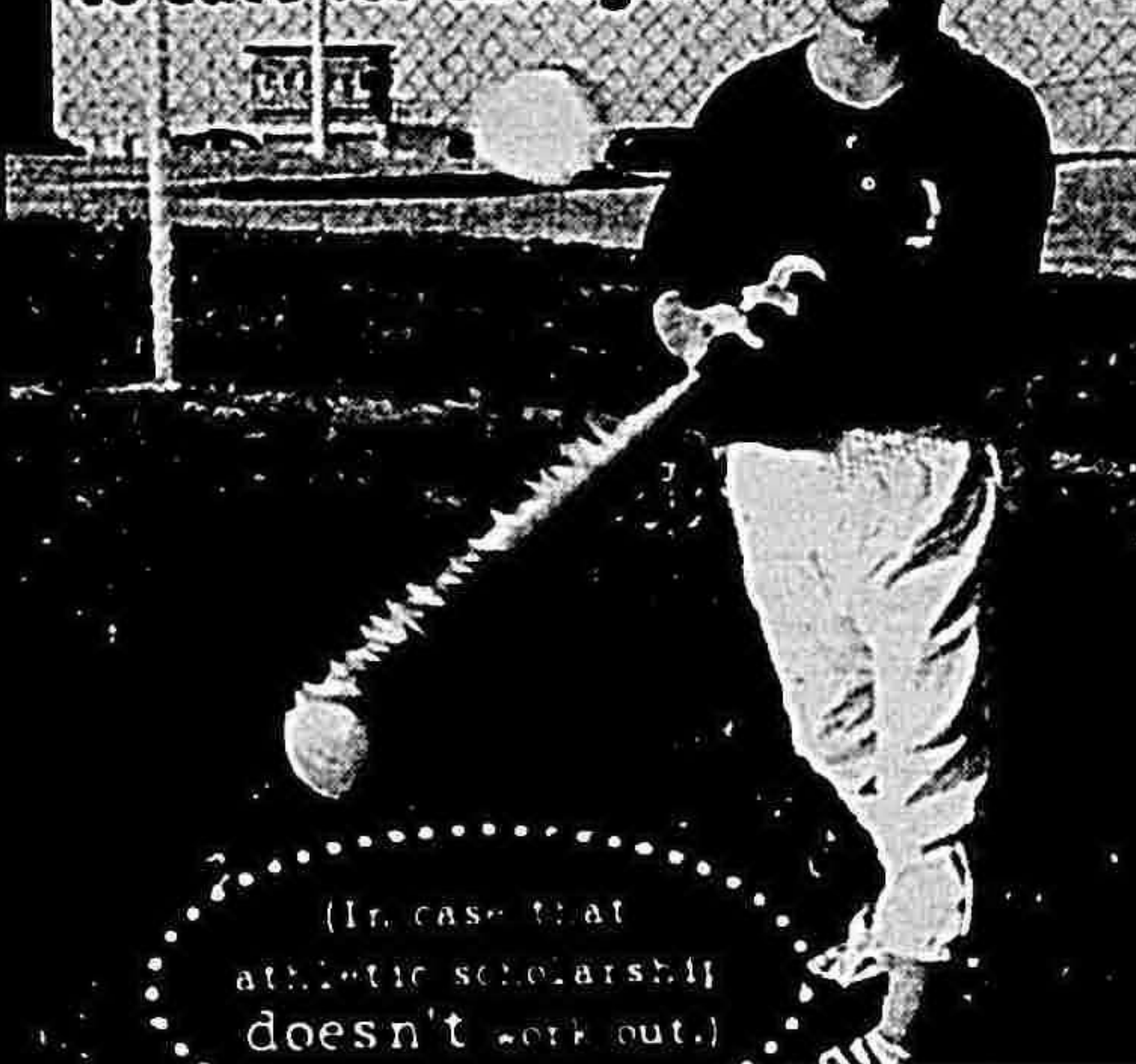
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Holiday fun

Right—Layne Miller, 7, performs with the Craven Academy of Performing Arts during a Breakfast with Santa at the Stratford Banquets in Grayslake. — Photo by Sandy Bressner

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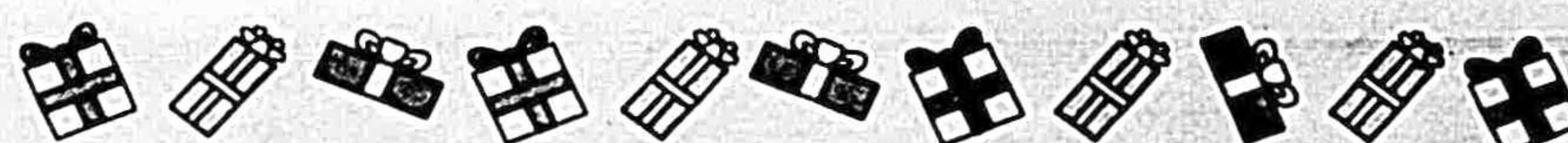
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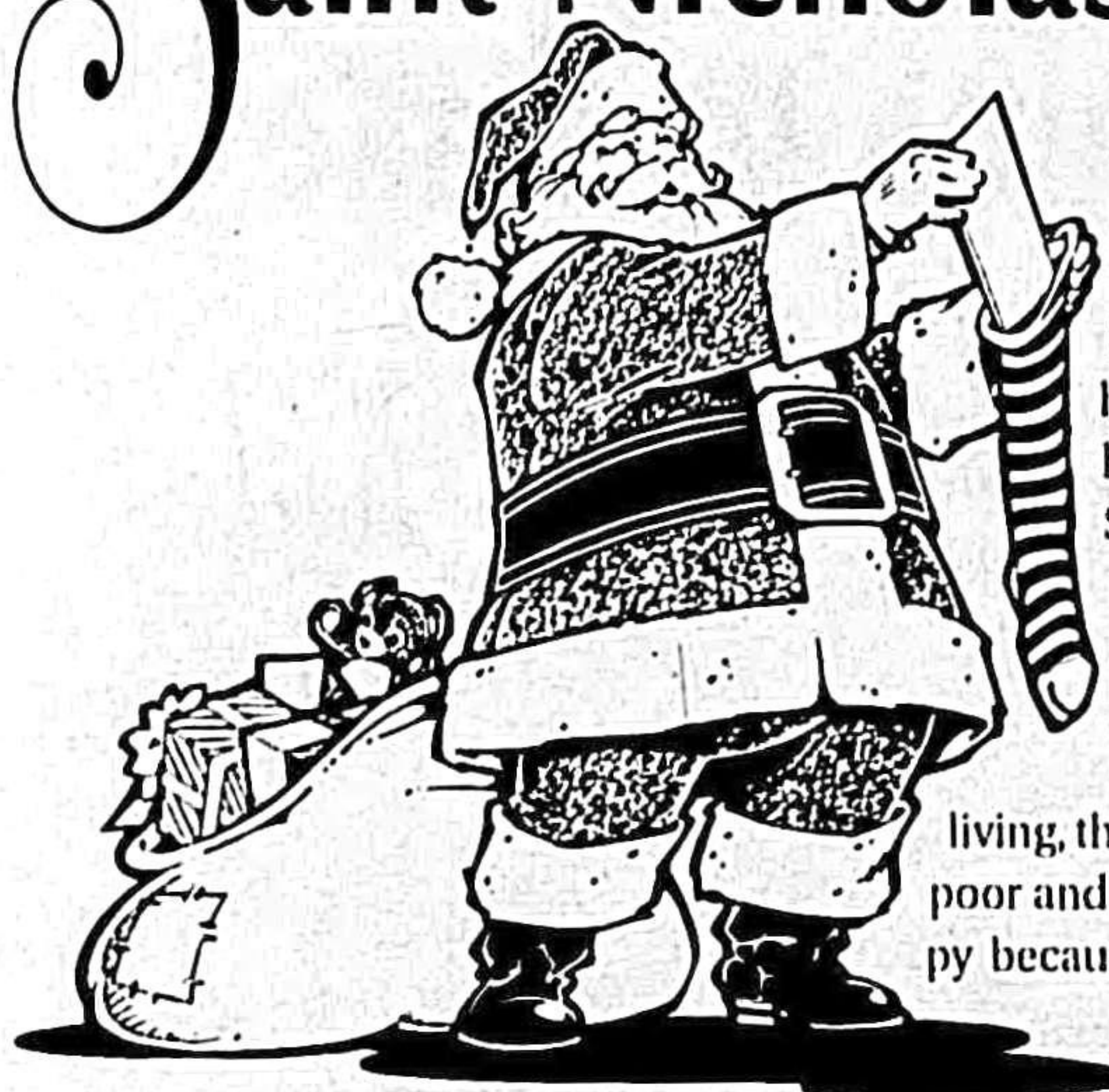
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Saint Nicholas's first trip



Many years ago

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Now in this same little town where Saint Nicholas was living, there lived three very sad and lonely sisters. They were very poor and had no family except for themselves. They were unhappy because they had no husbands. Now back in those days, in order for a lady to find a husband, she must first have a dowry, which was money, property, or something of value to offer the young man. Tilda, Martha, and Jane had

nothing. Saint Nicholas had learned of their problem, but he didn't know that to do about it! So, Saint Nicholas wondered to himself, "What must I do?"

One night in the dead of winter, it was snowing and Saint Nicholas couldn't sleep. He put on his warm clothes and started for a walk. The air was cold and brisk, and the snow was falling softly. It was very quiet outside, and all that could be heard was the crunch of the snow under his boots as he trudged on. Soon Saint Nicholas found himself standing in front of the three sisters' house, and as he looked at it he was still wondering, "What can I do?"

Now in those days, poor girls were lucky if they owned more than one pair of stockings. So each night they would wash their stockings and hang them over the fireplace to dry. Through the candle-lit window, he could see the sisters as they hung their stockings by the fire to dry. At this very moment, an idea was born. "I know, I know what I'm going to do," he thought. "I'll put gold in their stockings." So with this thought, he hurried home to get that treasure.

Later on that night when Saint Nicholas thought the girls were asleep, he started back to their house. The snow had stopped falling now and the moon was shining brightly and the stars twinkled like diamonds in the sky. The whole community was a white, beautiful, peaceful, and happy picture. When he arrived at the house, he quietly slipped inside and without making a sound, he put a handful of sparkling gold into each girl's stocking. Wearing a big smile, he went back out into the magic night and headed for home. The next morning when Tilda, Martha and Jane found the gold, they were so happy they danced for joy. They each found a nice husband, and were very happy. As for Saint Nicholas - he was very happy too.

From that day on, every year about this time, his memory comes into homes all over the world as stories are told and stockings are filled and good cheer is brought to all, both young and old. *—By Sara K. Blankenship

Gingerbread Men

From the kitchen of John Cole



Icing:

1 egg white
125 grams unsalted butter
1/2 teaspoon lemon juice
1/3 cup soft brown sugar
1-1/4 cups icing sugar
1/4 cup golden syrup
assorted food coloring
1 egg, lightly beaten
2 cups plain flour
1 tablespoon ground ginger
1 teaspoon bicarbonate of soda
1 tablespoon of currants

Recipe

Preheat oven to moderate 180c degrees. Line 2 or 3 oven trays with baking paper. Using electric beaters, beat butter, sugar, and syrup in a small mixing bowl until light and creamy. Add egg gradually, beating thoroughly after each addition. Transfer mixture into large bowl, sift dry ingredients onto well floured surface and knead for 1-2 minutes or until smooth. Line a large chopping board with baking paper, roll out dough on board to 5mm thickness (flour rolling pin if necessary to prevent sticking), refrigerate on board for 15 minutes so dough is firm to cut. Cut dough into shapes with a 13cm gingerbread man cutter. Press remaining dough

together and reroll. Cut out shapes. Place biscuits on prepared trays. Place currants as eyes and nose on men. Bake for 10 minutes or until lightly browned. Cool biscuits on trays. Icing: Place egg whites in small dry mixing bowl, using electric beaters beat egg whites until foamy. Add lemon juice and icing sugar gradually. Beat until thick and creamy. Divide icing into several bowls. Tint mixtures with desired food colors. Spoon mixture into small paper icing bags. Seal open ends. Snip tips off piping bags. Pipe faces and clothing onto gingerbread men. When icing is completely dry, store in an airtight container in a cool dry place for up to 3 days. *—Northpole.com

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Items needed to play:

- 48 small smooth stones
- an egg carton or any holder with 12 cups
- two players (player A and player B)

To Play:

1. Place four beans in the bottom of each of the 12 cups.

2. Play:

Player A picks up all the stones from any cup and starting with the next cup to the right, drops one stone at a time into each successive cup. After he/she drops the last stone in a cup, Player A picks up all the stones in THAT cup and continues to drop one in each consecutive cup. Player A's turn ends when he/she puts the last seed in an empty cup. (Player A has the longest turn first)

Player B then chooses any cup of stones and begins a turn exactly like Player A's. A player scores when he/she drops the last stone in a cup with THREE others (making FOUR stones in a cup). The player then puts all four stones in his/her "bank".

If the player puts a stone in a cup with three others and it is not the last stone, the other player puts the four stones in his/her bank.

The player who gets the next to the last four stones gets the remaining stones on the board. The player who has accumulated the most stones in his/her bank, WINS!

How to make an Oware board:

1. Cut the lid off an egg carton and paste it underneath the egg portion of the carton.
 2. Cut two separate egg sections and staple one on each end of the carton.
 3. Paint the "gameboard" brown—or better yet, red, black and green.
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It's crassly commercial, the cynical say;
If that's true, that's our fault — it's us and not they.

Take time for yourself — though hard as that seems,
Enjoy your kids' laughter, excitement and dreams.

Take a moment out now, don't get overly riled,
Instead make an angel in the snow with your child.

The shortbread can wait, and so can the tree;
What's important to feel is a child's sense of glee.

The holidays aren't about push, rush and shove;
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Flibber

Gather some old newspapers. Put three pieces on the floor or table, overlapping each edge. (Kinda like three kids in a sled!) While still joined, roll them up into a long piece of rolled newspaper. Squish or pat down one end. Tear the other end in half. Tear every other one in half again. (So you basically have two tears in the end, representing 4 shredded sections. Put finger in the center of a tear, and pull one piece out of the middle while holding onto the other end.

Screecher

Need—paper and scissors. Cut paper into a 6" by 1-1/2" piece. Fold paper in half and cut a small "v" on one fold (so when opened up, it would look like a diamond shape). Fold up each end back to the middle. Hold up to your mouth and blow in the center (where the "V" is.)

Creeping Willie

Need—6" x 1" piece of paper and scissors. Draw a face on one end of paper. Pull him over the edge of table to make the paper curl. Lightly wet Willie's face. Put him on a table and blow on his tail. Have a Creeping Willie race.

Tippy Top

Need—paper, glass, pencil, scissors and a toothpick. Put glass on paper, draw around it. Draw some swirly lines starting in the middle and swirling to the outside edge. Put a toothpick through the center of the spiral (middle of the paper). Give it a spin on the table.

Parachute

Need—paper napkin, thread and

Mom, I don't have anything to do!

For weeks now the kids

have been dreaming of winter school break so that they can have the freedom to do whatever they choose to do. Isn't it funny, now they have been home a day or two and all of a sudden they are underfoot with "Mom, what can I do, I'm BORED!" ringing in the air. Well, here are some simple, low cost ideas to keep them busy.

Kids projects

clothes pin. Cut four pieces of thread 2ft. long. Tie threads on corner of napkin. Tie all four threads together around a clothes pin. Roll clothes pin up in napkin and toss in air.

Bead necklace

Need—Christmas paper, or the shiny ad section from the Sunday papers—the more colorful the better, scissors, glue or paste, 24" long string, toothpick. Cut 20 triangles with base of about an inch and length about 5-8 inches. Spread glue on back of one strip. Place toothpick at wide end of triangle, and roll it tightly around the toothpick. Slip out toothpick and set bead aside to dry. Finish remaining beads each the same way. String into necklace when dry.

Green apple pomanders

1. Get a box of cloves and a green apple.
2. Let the kids push the cloves into the apple in any way they desire.
3. Place them in a glass or wooden bowl with ribbons tied around the stems.

Candy Wreath**For older children**

1. Get a styrofoam tree shape from your local craft house.
2. Get a couple of pounds of hard candies.
3. Starting at the bottom, pin each

piece of candy into the Christmas Tree.

4. Tie a pretty bow to place at the top.

5. A similar decoration can be done by using a styrofoam wreath and placing the candies around it. In this case, before you begin to attach the candy, tie a ribbon around the top of the wreath so that it can be hung on a doorway when it is completed.



Holiday fun
Three-year-old Allison Carnes of Grayslake gives Santa her wish list during a Breakfast with Santa at the Stratford Banquets in Grayslake.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

whiskers, one small candy cane each.

2. Out of the 3 inch piece of green felt, draw an egg shape.

3. Take a plain piece of paper and draw a large round figure 8 in a 2" X 1" design. Use this as a template to cut out of the 2" piece of red felt.

4. Cut two 1/2" slits about a third of the way down using the small part of the egg for your base (this will be the mouse's nose).

5. Pull the figure 8 through the two tiny slits - they should look a bit like ears. You will have to fold the 8 over on the end to get it through the slits, but open it when it gets through.

6. Put the two tiny eyes in front of the ears, and on the small tip of the egg, place the straw and the tiny pompom on top of it.

7. With a scrap of left over felt, but a small piece of felt in a strip.

8. Turn over the mouse, and lay the candy cane down with the curl part extending out from underneath the large part of the egg. (This will be the tail).

9. Glue the two ends of the felt over the top of the candy cane to hold it in place. (Make sure that there is adult supervision if there are small children using the cool heat glue gun.

Metallic spirals for the tree

1. Purchase some metallic pipe cleaners from the craft store.

2. Have the children

wrap them around your broom handle and gently slide them off.

3. These can then be gently hung over the boughs of the Christmas tree.*

Candy-Cane Mouse

1. **Need:** One 3 inch square piece of green felt, one 2" x 1" piece of red felt, two wiggle eyes, a tiny red pompom for the nose and a tiny piece of straw for the

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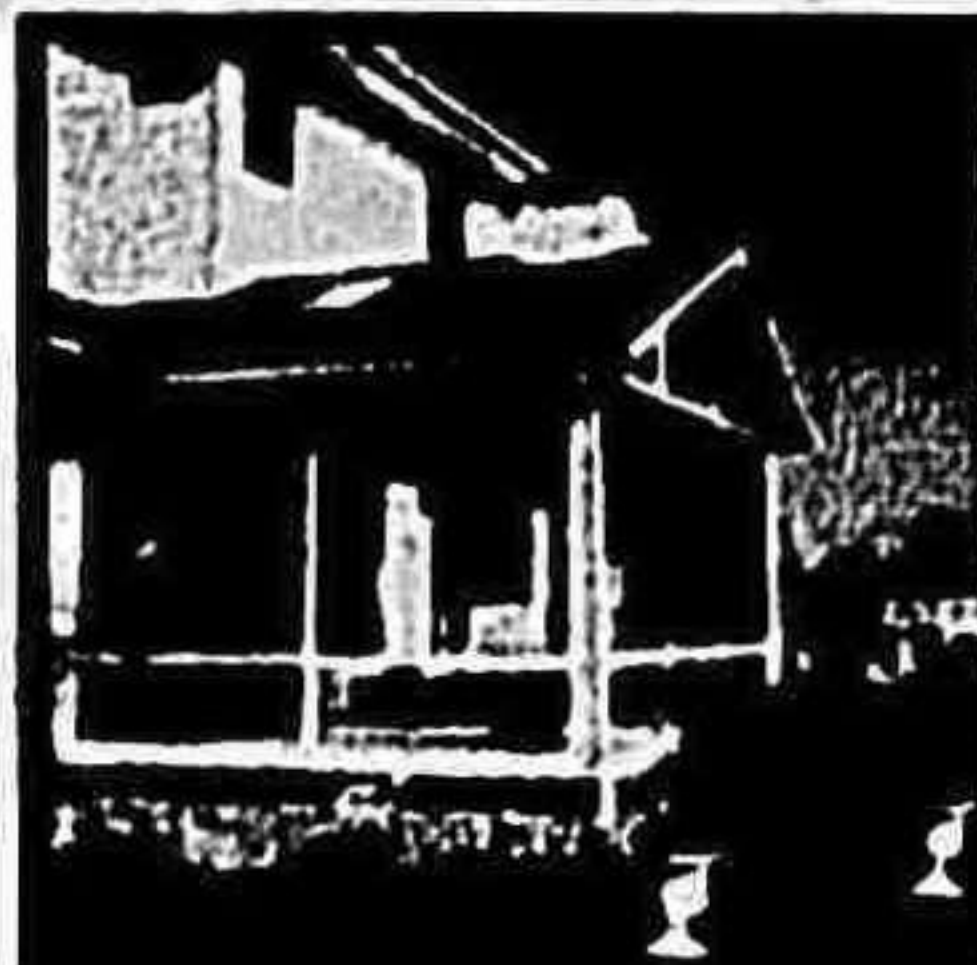
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Outdoor décor enlivens Lakeland holiday season

By NANCY KREPELY

Traditionally, homes have been decorated with an assortment of Christmas lights. There are devotees of all the different styles available, all white, colored large bulbs, small bulbs, twinkling bulbs and icicle strands. Some use them only on the house, others on the bushes, some put them on anything that doesn't move and some things that do. There are lighted figures, be they human or animal that can be festooned in the front yard. Some are artfully displayed in the bushes or trees.

But, there is something everyone can do that requires no electricity, but can be just as lovely to look at, just as lovely to create.

Outdoor planters and pots aren't just for the spring and summer; they can serve a wonderful purpose in the winter. You don't have to remove the dirt. Just make the decision to do the winter planters before the first freeze. That dirt will be as hard as concrete if it freezes and that makes decorating them with the greens of the season a bit more difficult. The boughs will be anchored by the dirt, so it needs to be loose and packable.

As a base, use evergreen boughs. These can be purchased at any nursery or any of the many Christmas tree lots. If you are really frugal you can use some of the boughs you might cut from your tree, but you will need more than you will realize from your tree. Think of this as building a pyramid, the bottom will be larger than the top. Incense cedar boughs give a wonderful draping effect for the base. Insert the branches securely

in the dirt in the pots, you don't want your pyramid to topple, making sure you have a full-looking skirt of boughs. And boughs to the center to give height, I like fragrant cedar and eucalyptus.

Some nurseries sell what they term "ever-green bouquets", these are a full collection of cedar, pine and bear grass that can be used whole or separated. The items you use to fill the pots can reflect your color preferences because who said that red was the only color that can be used for the holidays. You can find some wonderful burgundy colored leaves and accents at the nurseries or craft shops around Lake County. Add some tall red and green holly. Use some tall colored grasses or eucalyptus. Find some interesting dried branches, add a bow or two and you will find you have an exterior decoration that will look good well into the new year.

Instead of the traditional evergreen wreath try something different. Some refer to these as swags. You can make your own. Think of a fan shape. You will need craft wire, green preferable to attach the boughs together. Begin the base of your fan with any type of Fir, they are usually the most dense, at the base of your fan, hide the branch ends with a spray of Blue-Berried Juniper, add pine cones and a ribbon and you will find this a most handsome addition to your doorway.

If you are more ambitious you can drape evergreen garland and ropes around your door, porch railing or windows. The easiest

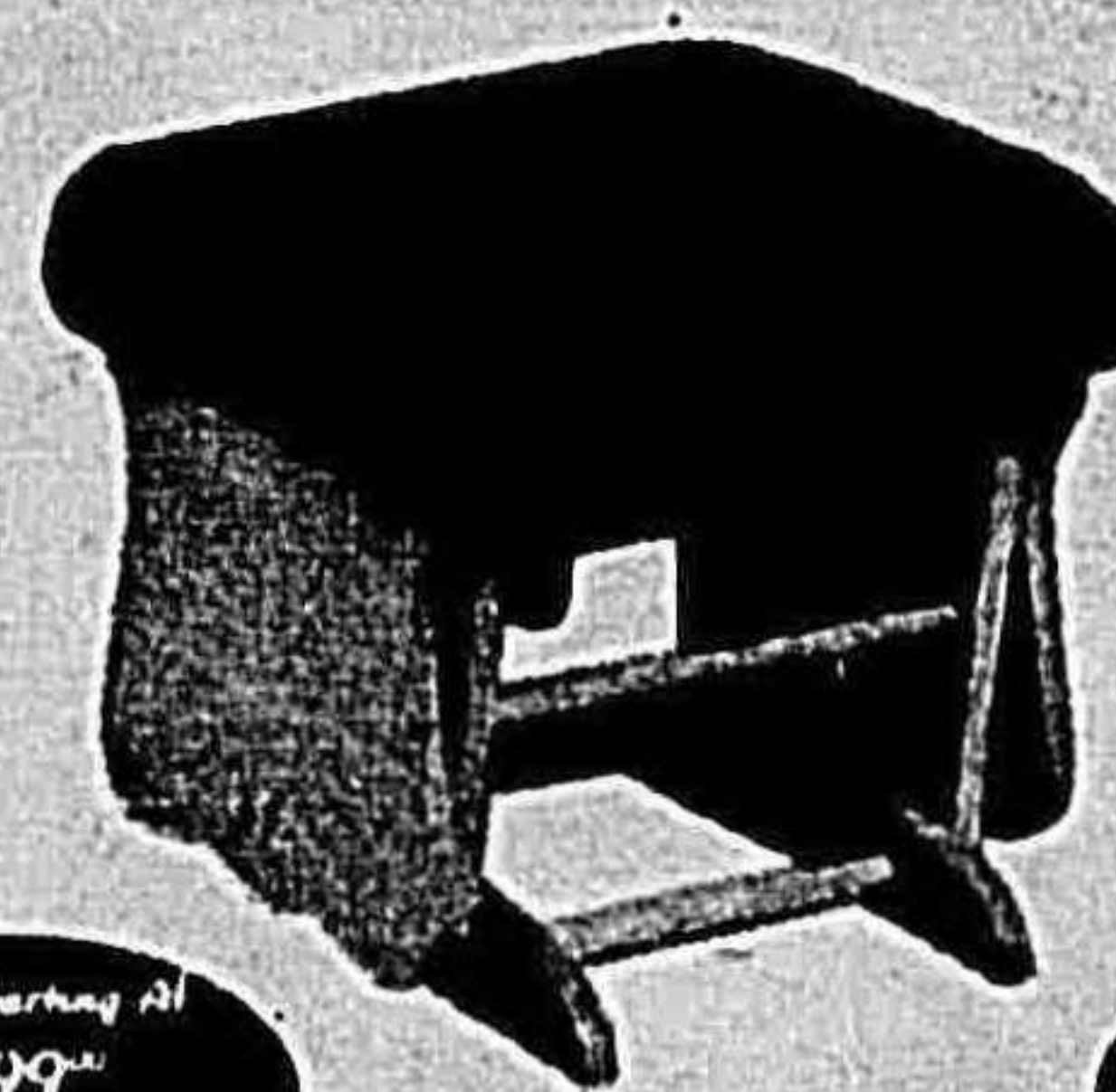
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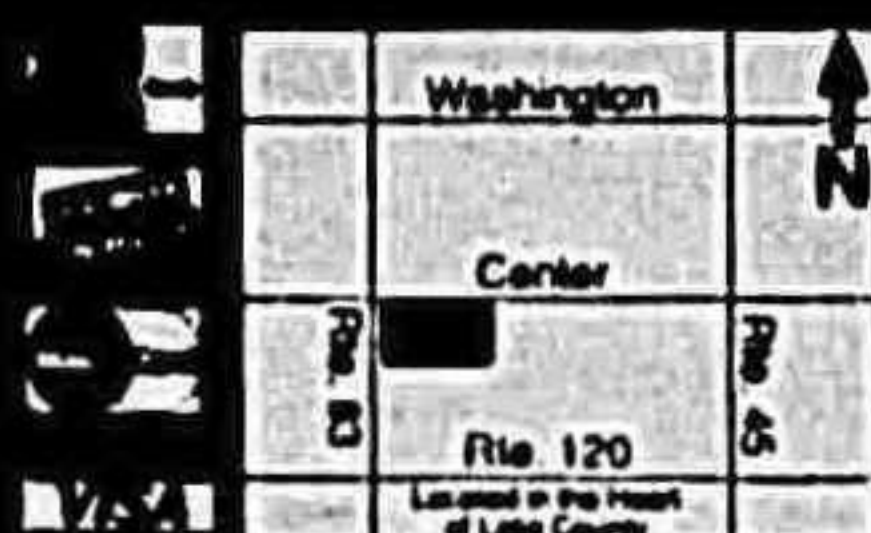
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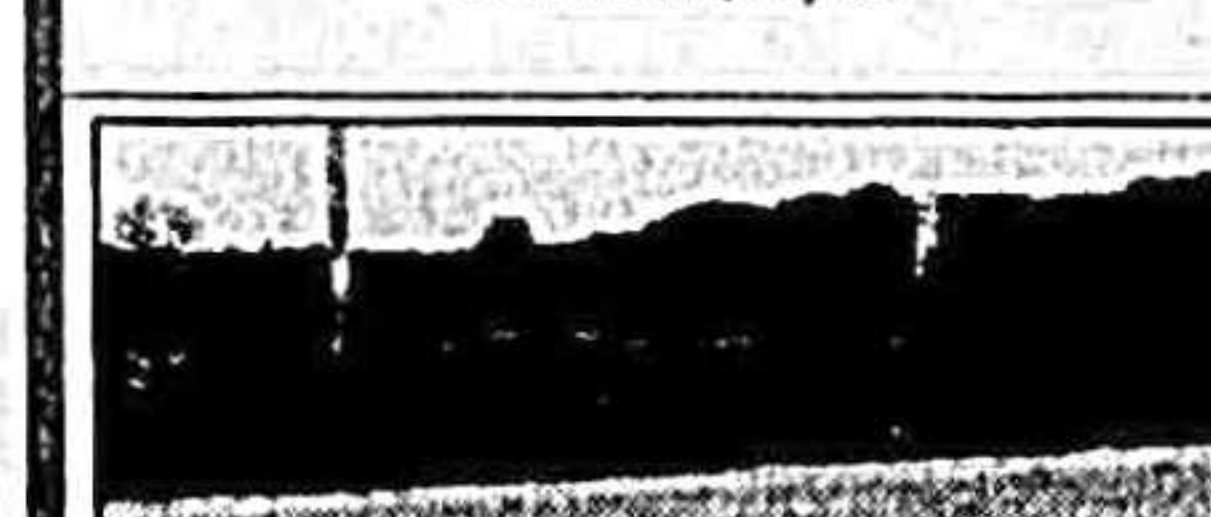
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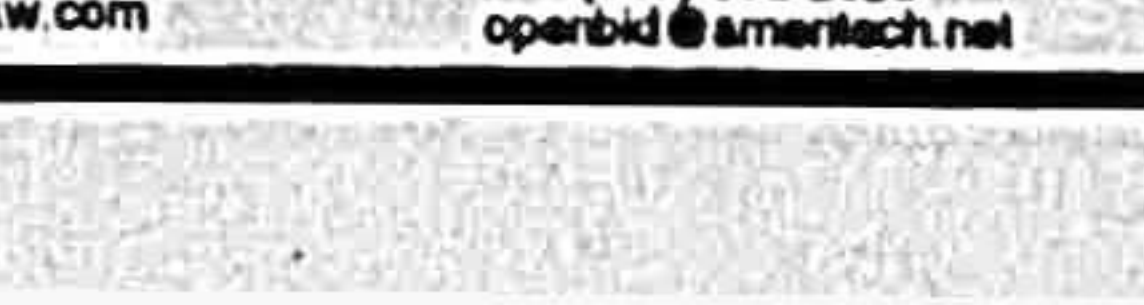
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Student couple finds complex fills needs

When Jodi Brennan's husband decided to pursue his doctorate degree in music at Northwestern University in Evanston, the couple knew they would have to move from their rental property in Indiana to be closer to the school. So in August, Mike and Jodi, along with their 8-year-old son Michael Jr. and their two cats moved into the Northgate rental community, Waukegan, a luxury apartment complex in Waukegan.

For the Brennans, the decision to call Northgate home came about because of several reasons. "We wanted to be as close to Evanston as possible, so my husband could easily commute to school, but we also wanted a really clean, spacious apartment as well," said Jodi. "I also wanted a dishwasher and a swimming pool."

"Both my husband and I said that you can tell how good an apartment is by how clean the grounds are, and from the mo-

ment we entered Northgate, we had an excellent feeling about the complex," Jodi said. The development includes an attractive pond at the main entrance and professional landscaping throughout the community.

Not only did the overall cleanliness of Northgate impress the Brennans, they also felt that their young son would enjoy living at the community. Northgate features the outdoor heated pool that Jodi had wanted plus a state-of-the-art fitness room equipped with a weight machine; stationary, recumbent and elliptical bicycles and two treadmills.

A fully furnished great room, which features a fireplace and couches, is also part of the luxury amenities at Northgate, along with a complimentary continental breakfast served each Saturday and Sunday.

"We moved in during August and I

had an opportunity to use the pool. My son has also made some friends in the neighborhood and has kids to play with" Jodi said.

"This arrangement works out great for us, as our son has his own space so he can do his own thing while we have a good sized bedroom with a nice roomy walk-in closet," Jodi said. The spaciousness of their apartment also allows Jodi, who is an opera singer, to easily practice her performances in the privacy of her home.

The location of Northgate has proved to be an excellent choice for the Brennans, as Mike can take a quick train ride directly to the Northwestern campus. Since Mike's doctorate program will last at least two years, the couple plans on staying put at the community, because it offers everything they could ask for in a rental arrangement.



Jody, Mike and 8-year-old son, Michael Jr. in their Northgate home.

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DECORATING

way to do this is to purchase the garland from a nursery and decorate it to suit your taste. There are wonderful ways to do this. Wrap the garland with light strands, or drape it with ribbons and bows. I prefer wide gold wire-strengthened ribbon. You will find that the wire ribbon makes wonderful, full bows.

Accent the garland with artificial fruit to give it more of a colonial appeal. As with the

accents for the planters and pots, craft stores are wonderful places to find items and ideas. You will find the clerks very helpful and you might just find some inspirations inside. Make the exterior of your home as much a reflection of what you enjoy as you have the interior. The real evergreen that you use makes a welcoming accent and entry to any home and the fresh evergreen aromas will welcome all into your holiday home.

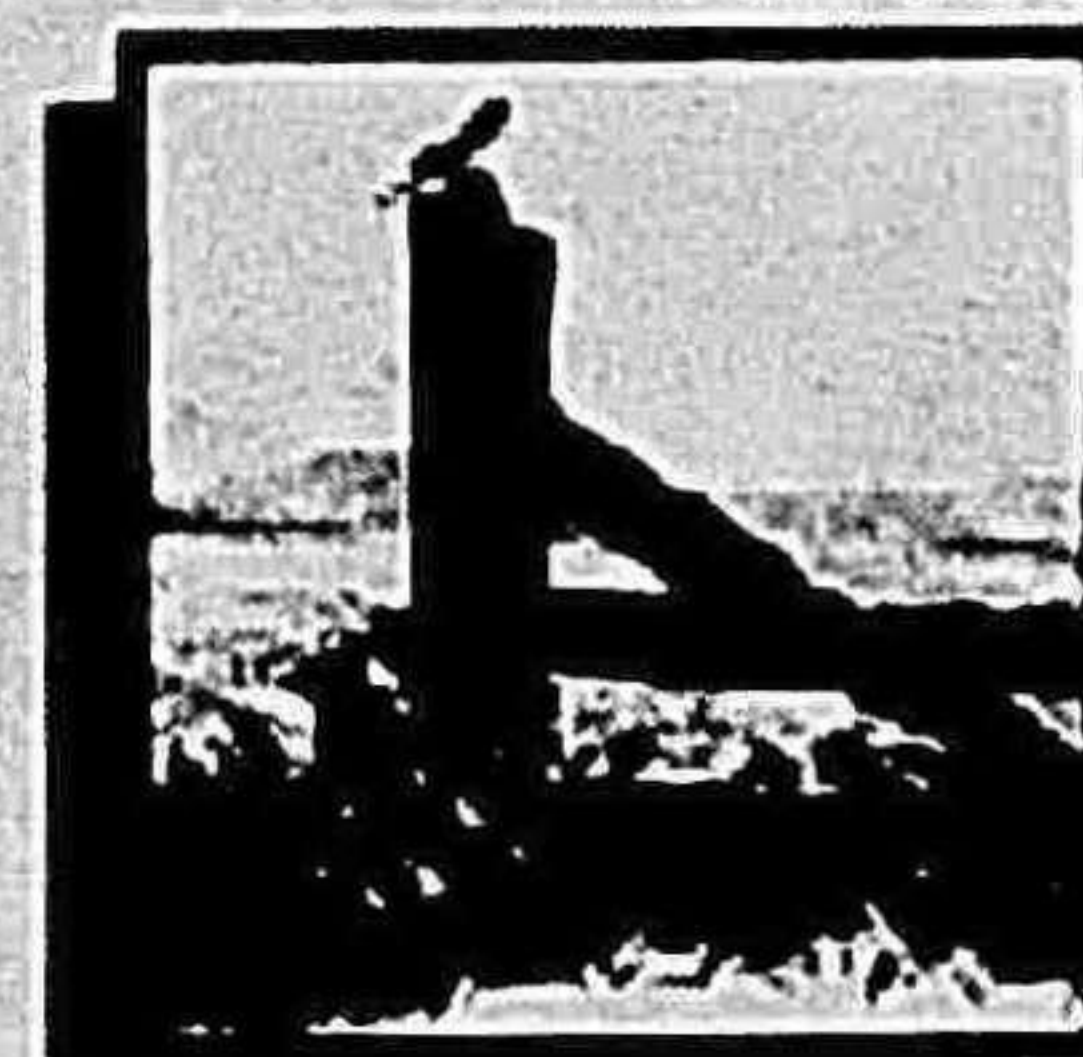
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After 109 years, Hines still in lumber business

By PATRICIA L. JOHNSON

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Edward Hines Lumber Company remains the leading supplier of lumber and building materials in the local area and has

13 retail locations to serve your needs. The Hainesville branch of the Hines Lumber Company is located at 39 E. Belvidere Rd. in Hainesville.

Dan Angsten, store manager, explains that although their store is contractor oriented they are always happy to see homeowners come in. The Hainesville yard offers a full line of lumber, decks, hardware, windows and doors for the homeowner and specializes in selling hard to find items.

Angsten states that Edward Hines Lumber Company prides itself on stocking a wide variety of better quality lumber. Hines purchases materials in rail cars or full truck loads so they are able to pass that quantity discount on to their customers in the form of competitive pricing.

In today's computerized world, it's interesting to note that the Hainesville branch still does manual bidding on projects brought in from contractors. Blue prints of the job are brought in and an estimator will do a takeoff and bid the job. Angsten explains that sometimes older methods are better and states that many of the employees have been with Hines Lumber for 10-20 years and are very knowl-

edgeable in their field.

In addition to the 13 branch lumber yards Edward Hines Lumber company also has a complete millwork and truss division, a commercial division, a cedar staining plant, and a cabinet and window distribution center.

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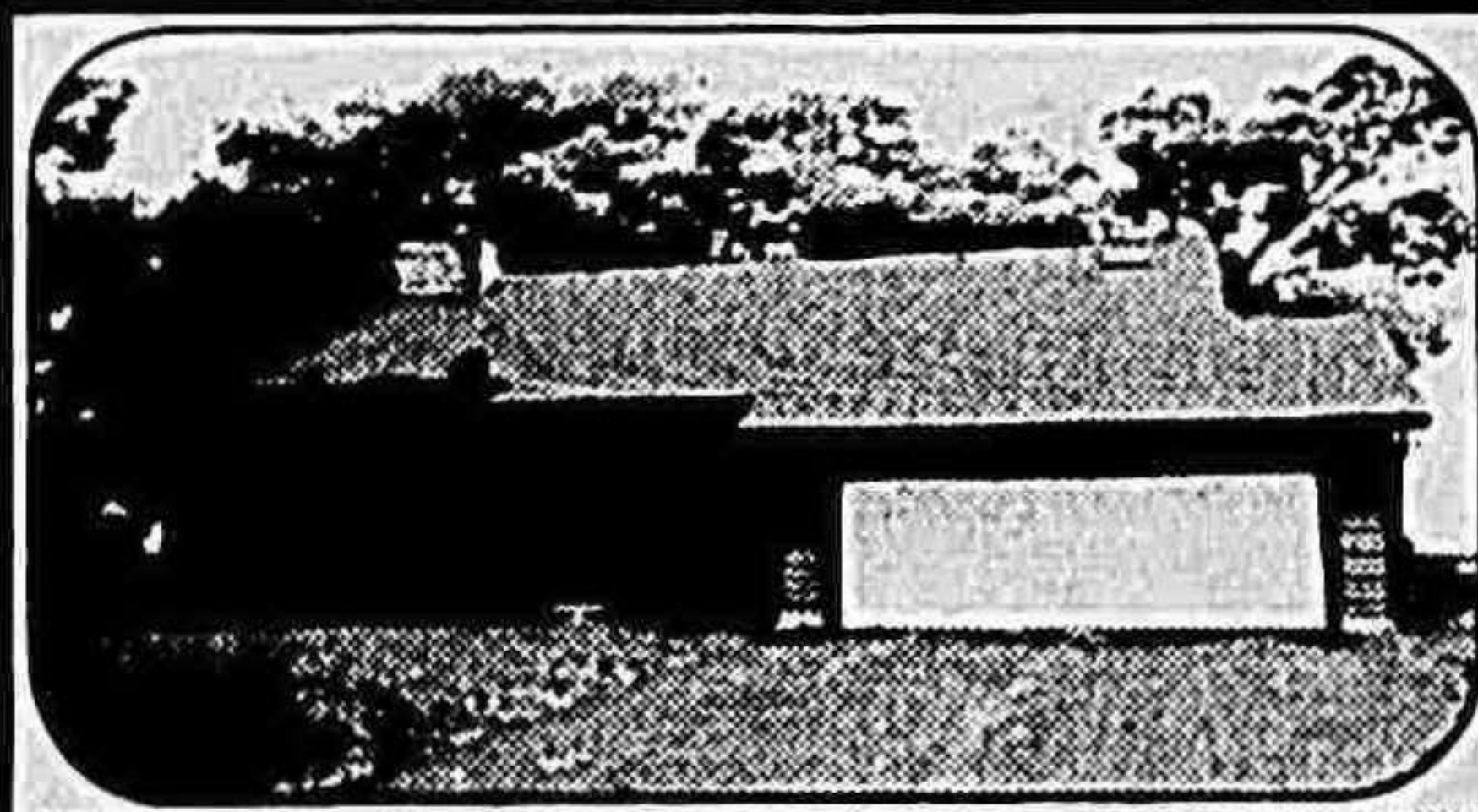
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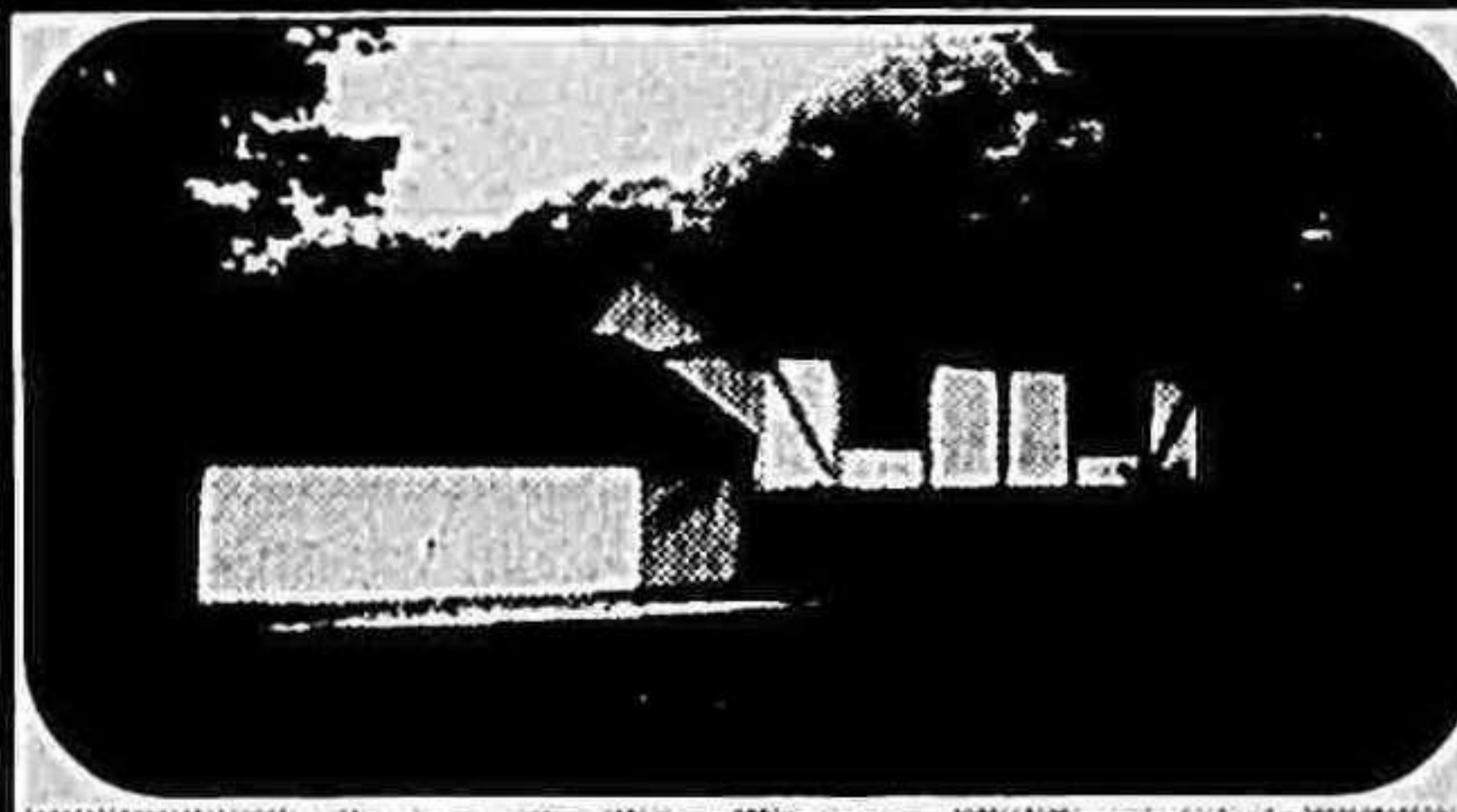
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Originally established in 1980, Century 21 Leech & Associates now has over 25 realty agents focusing on residential real estate sales in Antioch, Fox Lake, Grayslake, Gurnee, Lake Villa, Lindenhurst and Round Lake. Further information on the Century 21 Leech & Associates realty office may be obtained by visiting their website, at <http://www.century21leech.com>.

Dawn R. Hagy, Realtor Associate and Centurion Producer, began working out of the Century 21 Leech & Associate, Inc. office in 1992 and attributes the success of the realty office to the fact that the office is very involved in the Lake Villa and Lindenhurst communities.

Terry sponsors local sports teams and provides Lake Villa and Lindenhurst residents with American Flags on the 4th of July. Dawn states that all of the agents in the office work together as a team and always go to bat for each other. Many of the agents at Century 21 Leech & Associates live in the immediate area and know the community which also contributes to the success of the office.



Dawn R. Hagy

A major event hosted by the realty office is the annual Garage Sale held in May of each year. Century 21 Leech & Associates, Inc. pays for all the advertising for this sale. Lists of garage sale locations and maps are made available and may be picked up in front of the realty office. As many as 100 families participate in the garage sale and that number continues to grow.

Hagy is a second generation realtor. Her mother was in the business for 25 years so Dawn was well aware of what qualities were required to be successful in the real estate field.

She began her career in 1988 and within her first year received praise from Cosmopolitan Magazine in the form of an article featuring six or seven realtors from all over the country who were considered "Outstanding rookie's in real estate".

Dawn achieved this status by selling "quite a few million" within the first year and had the additional honor of being the only realtor from the State of Illinois that was featured.

She didn't stop there. From 1993 on Hagy has been the top producer at the Century 21 Leech & Associates, Inc. office. 2001 will be the fourth year, in a row, that Dawn will receive the Centurion Producer award. This award is received after an agent has received more than \$175,000 per year in realty commissions, which puts that agent in the top 1% of Century 21 realtors worldwide.

Dawn has a simple formula for success. "Set goals, and work hard". "Keep in touch with your sellers on a weekly basis". "Take good care



of your buyers by putting yourself in their shoes, and show them properties that are a true value for what they are paying". And, be very careful about the location because no one wants to buy a house in the same neighborhood where they are going to be constructing a new car lot in the near future.

Hagy is also quick to point out that a major key to her success is the continuous support of her husband of 21 years, Nick. Hagy and her husband have three boys, Brian, Scott and Daniel and according to Dawn, Nick is there for the boys when Hagy is not able to be home.

The events that took place on September

11, 2001 have caused a major slowdown in our country and real estate offices have not been exempt from the impact. The combined effect of the slowdown and the lowered interest rates have made it an excellent time to consider purchasing property. As Dawn points out, it's now a buyer's market and, for those meeting the criteria, interest rates can be obtained at 6.75%.

You may discuss your buying or selling requirements further by contacting Dawn Hagy at Century 21 Leech & Associates, Inc. by phone (847) 356-3400, by fax (847) 356-5794, by voice-mail (847) 374-9266 or by direct line at (847) 245-4663.

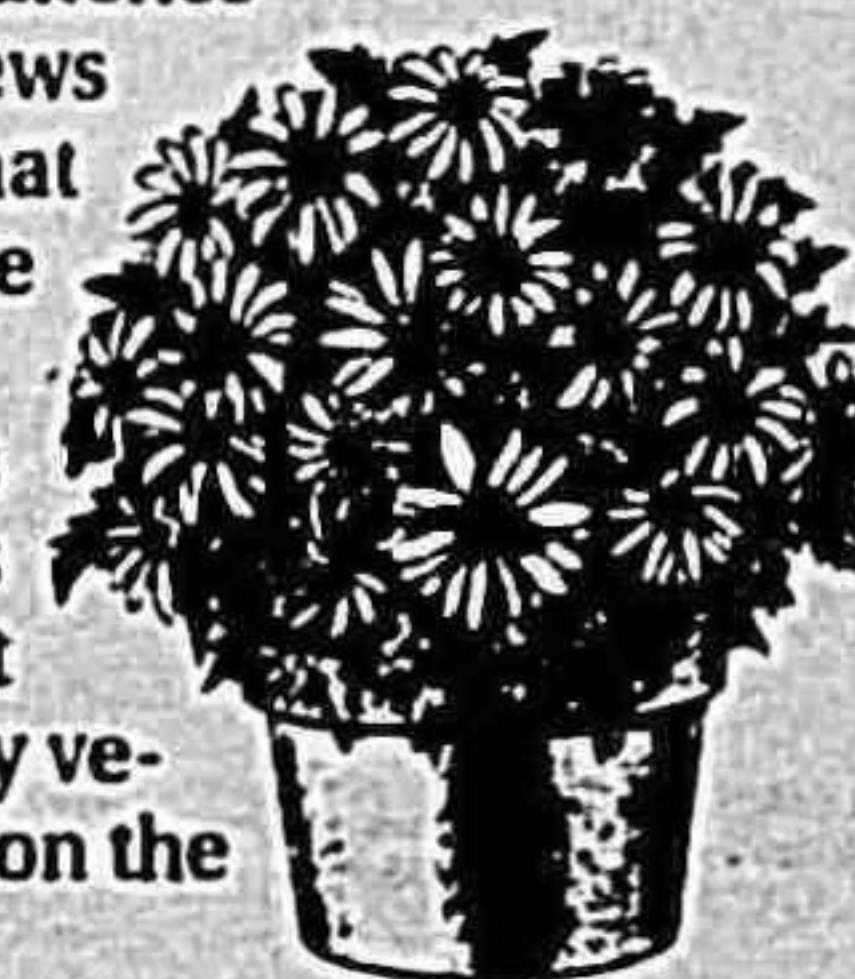
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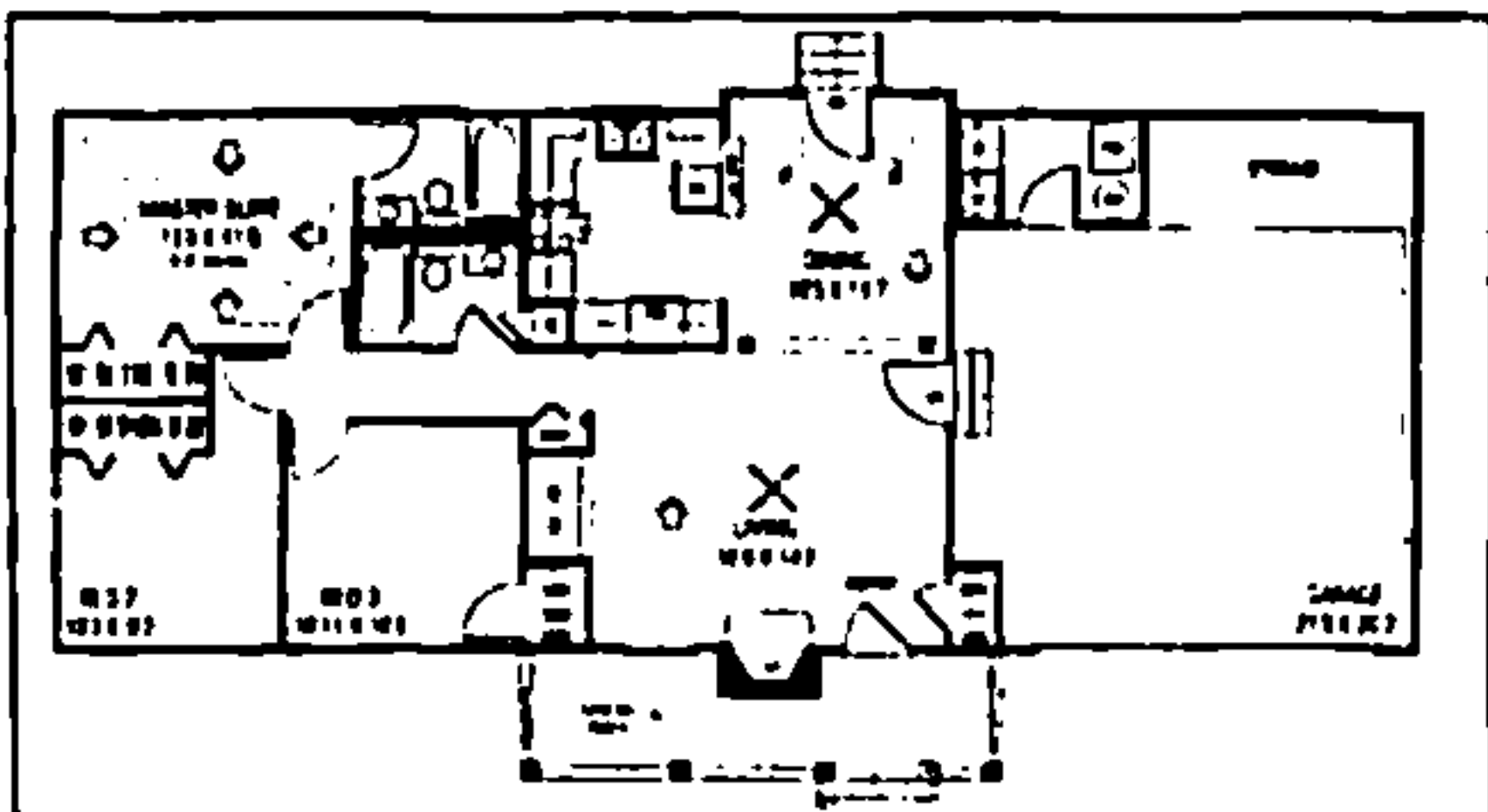
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FUTURE PLANS

The Cumberland

Fanlights and lattice accent the facade of the Cumberland (G24-723). The covered porch uses railings as well as column posts to make the front of this home stand out and look inviting. The two-car garage has half-moon windows over the doors.

Beside the front door to the Cumberland is a fireplace with a large circulating fan overhead. An entertainment center has been incorporated on the left wall, visible throughout the living room and dining room. Room defining columns accent the



archway between the living and dining rooms.

The dining room also has a large circulating fan overhead and has incorporated two skylights to bath the room in sunlight. A door to the back yard is centered between two windows. Adjacent to the dining room, the C-shaped kitchen has a 9-foot ceiling. Ample counter space has been supplied, as has a serving center for ease of getting the food to the dining area.

Moving down the hall to the left is a full bath with a tub for use by guests. Just beyond is the master suite with a decorative coffered 9-foot ceiling. A corner master bath with a tub and single sink adds privacy to the master

suite. Bedrooms 2 and 3 are approximately the same size, with one having a wall closet and the other having a smaller walk-in closet.

Uniquely set up off the garage and only accessible through garage is the utility room. It is at the rear of the garage and contains not only the washer and dryer, but also the furnace and water heater. Adjacent across the rear of the garage is a large storage area, ideal for gardening tools, lawn mowers, bicycles, etc.

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Steps to a safe bathroom

Nearly 200,000 people are injured annually in their bathrooms, according to statistics from the National Safety Council. The most common accidents are slips, falls and scalding from hot water. Although all accidents will never be eliminated, the National Kitchen and Bath Association (NKBA) says a well-designed bathroom can also be a safe one.

NKBA has developed a few simple guidelines to keep you safe in the bathroom.

1) Ensure slip-resistant flooring is used in all areas of the bathroom. Although most materials are slippery when wet, slip-resistant surfaces can eliminate many falls. Any water on the floor should be wiped up as soon as possible to maintain safety.

2) Eliminate steps leading into tubs or showers. Always try to surround a tub with a platform, where you can sit down before entering or exiting the tub.

3) Select shower doors carefully. Always use shatterproof glass in shower enclosures. Also, if the door is hinged, have it open into the room instead of into the shower. In an emergency, this allows easy access in and out of the shower.

4) Install proper faucets. NKBA recommends pressure-balanced and temperature-controlled valves in the bath and shower to prevent scalding. Also, install faucets in areas that are easily accessible from outside the tub or shower. Avoid having to stretch or reach for water faucets.

5) Add benches and grab bars. By installing grab bars or benches within shower enclosures and near the entrance of tub, the chance of accidental falls greatly decreases.

6) Add emergency shut-offs for whirlpool tubs. Make sure the shut-off can be reached from both inside and outside the tub for maximum safety.

7) Maintain safe distances between water sources and electrical switches. Use ground-fault circuit interrupters on electric receptacles. They shut off when a hazard, such as moisture, is sensed.

8) Use cabinet locks. The bathroom holds many poisonous household products and prescriptions. Always place locks on cabinets where these substances are stored.

To ensure your bathroom meets and exceeds all safety standards, look to a professional to design your bathroom. NKBA members can make your bathroom fashionable, functional and, above all, safe. To find a member near you or to receive your free Kitchen and Bath Workbook, call (877) NKBA-PRO or visit www.nkba.org.



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Keeping warm and staying safe

As winter's chill descends upon us and we pull out those space heaters, stack the logs for the fireplace and turn up our thermostats, remember and heed these precious life-saving tips to help keep us all warm and fire-safe this winter season.

Practicing fire safety during winter months is crucial because the leading cause of fire in the United States is due to the equipment we use to keep ourselves warm. Fireplaces, wood stoves and portable heaters pose special fire hazards and signal the need for safety measures to reduce the risk of fire.

Last year, heating devices caused 301 residential fires, 1 death, 31 injuries and more than 4 million dollars in property damage in Illinois, according to Illinois' National Fire Incident Reporting System.

"I urge everyone to use care and caution while using any heating equipment," said State Fire Marshal Ernest E. Russell.

The National Fire Protection Assoc. advises that space heaters be placed at least 36 inches away from anything combustible and should never be left unattended. NFPA fire safety standards prohibit the use of portable LP (propane) gas heaters with self-contained fuel supplies in homes.

Both organizations encourage burning only proper fuels in heating devices. Green wood, trash or paper should not be burned in wood stoves or fireplaces. NFPA recommends that only clear Grade A K-1 kerosene should be used in kerosene heaters. It cautions against the use of yellow kerosene, gasoline or camp stove fuel in such units.



"Real Estate Corner"
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KITCHEN AND BATH REMODELS ARE GOOD INVESTMENTS

Financial gurus talk about return on investment (ROI), and that's exactly what many home upgrade projects provide: great ROI. According to a recent national survey, a minor kitchen remodel recouped 94%; bathroom addition, 91%; major kitchen remodel, 90%; two-story addition, 83%; and deck, 72%.

The best remodels not only enhance your present lifestyle but are a good investment and sales tool later. You want to improve your living space, but don't over-improve to the point of adding expensive, poor recouping extras. The goal is to increase your enjoyment of the house and its value if and when you decide to sell. ©

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Don't invite burglars into your home

It's an unfortunate fact that burglars know how easy it is to break into most houses or apartments. That's why thieves usually spend less than two minutes trying to get a window or door open before giving up and looking for an easier target.

"By taking some relatively simple and inexpensive precautions, you can make your home a difficult, and less attractive, target for thieves," says Allstate agent Mike Pyle. "Doing this will provide a more secure environment for you and your loved ones."

To help safeguard your home and make it less inviting to burglars, here are some safety tips from the Allstate Insurance Company.

1. Invest in a home security system.

An alarm system is an excellent deterrent

to crime. The system should include a loud siren and motion sensors. Display security system decals on your windows and doors.

2. Lock all doors and windows when you leave home.

Even if you're just running out on a short errand, make sure all doors and windows are locked. Dead bolts provide the best security.

3. Keep window coverings slightly open.

Drapes and shades that are fully closed give a deserted look to your home.

4. Keep valuables out of sight.

Keep valuables away from the windows so burglars can't see them from outside. Use an etching tool so valuables are easily identifiable. Prepare a household inventory of all your belongings and write down any serial

numbers.

5. Don't make it easy for thieves to use your keys.

Don't hide a key in the mailbox, under the doormat or above the doorway. Don't put your name and address on your key ring. When valet parking or leaving your car for service, give the attendant only your car key. If you think a former owner or tenant might still have keys to your home, change the locks.

6. Have your mail held at the post office when you leave town.

Full mailboxes make it clear to burglars that no one is home. Stop newspaper delivery and ask a friend or neighbor to pick up any packages or flyers left outside.

7. Keep your garage door locked.

Keeping your garage locked is as important as keeping your home locked, especially if the garage is attached. Once inside the garage, a burglar can work uninterrupted at getting into your home.

8. Don't tell strangers or casual acquaintances that you're going out of town.

Although they may seem trustworthy, you'd be surprised how quickly news spreads.

9. Join a neighborhood watch program or consider starting one.

These programs are designed by and for local community residents to help ensure the safety of all those living in the area.

For more information on burglary prevention and other safety topics, contact Allstate agent Mike Pyle at 847-491-9400.



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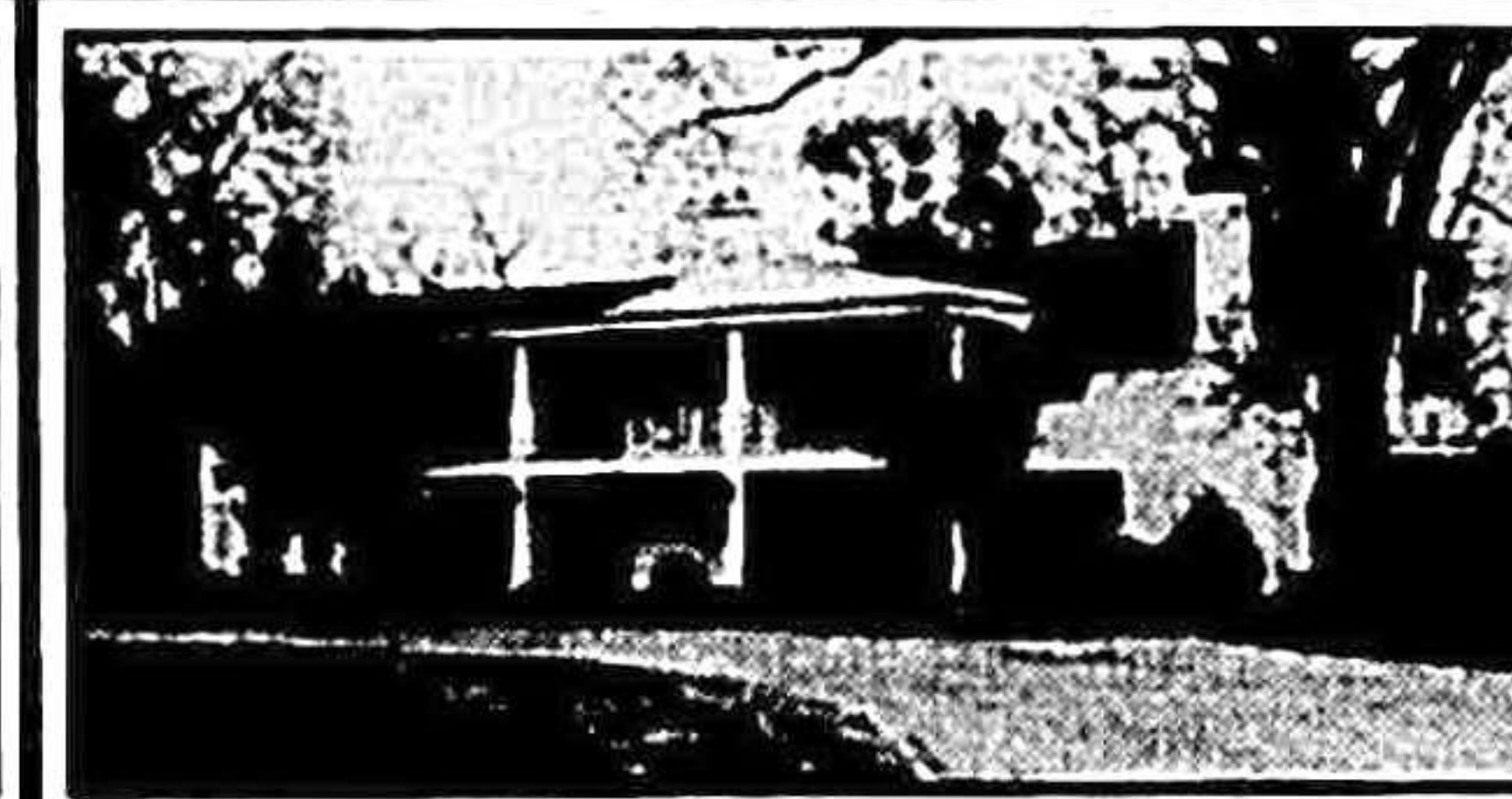
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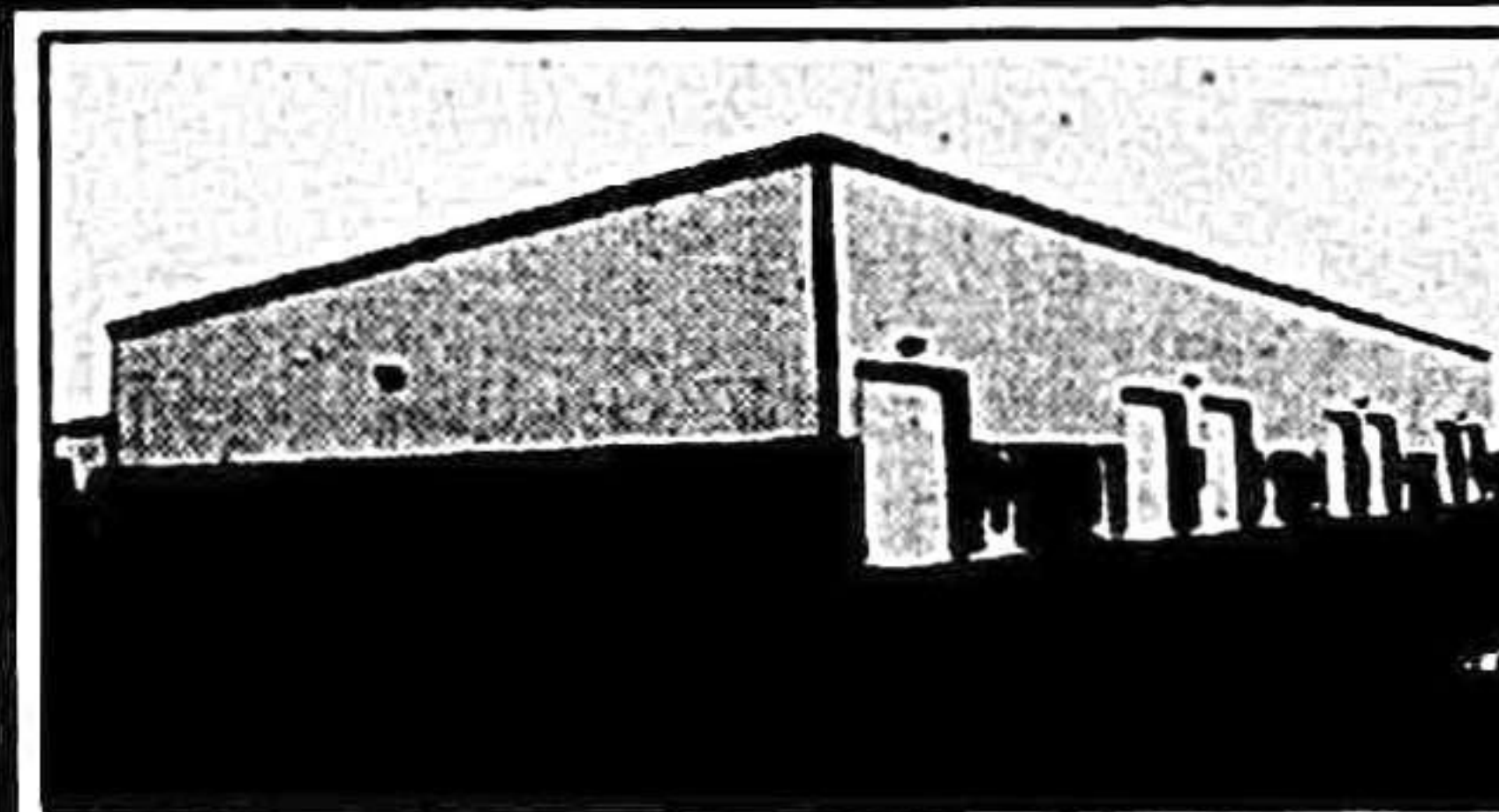


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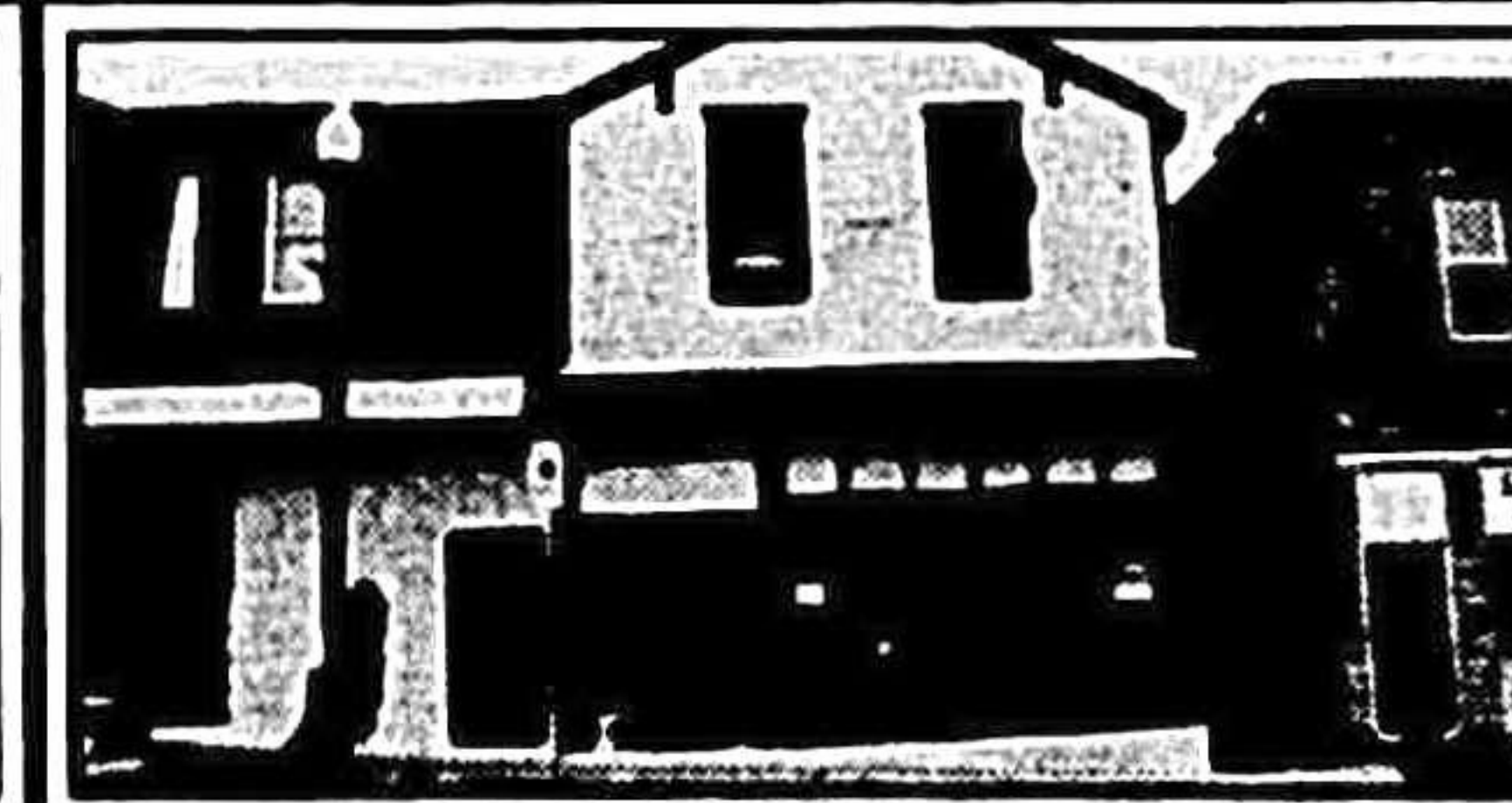


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Show your decorating colors

Because of recent tragedies, Americans are looking more to home and family this year and want to create a safe and comforting haven in their homes. We are seeing a resurgence of national pride, as the flag is being flown everywhere. For many, money allotted for travel and entertainment will be re-channelled toward creating a refuge for our hearts, bodies and souls this fall and winter.

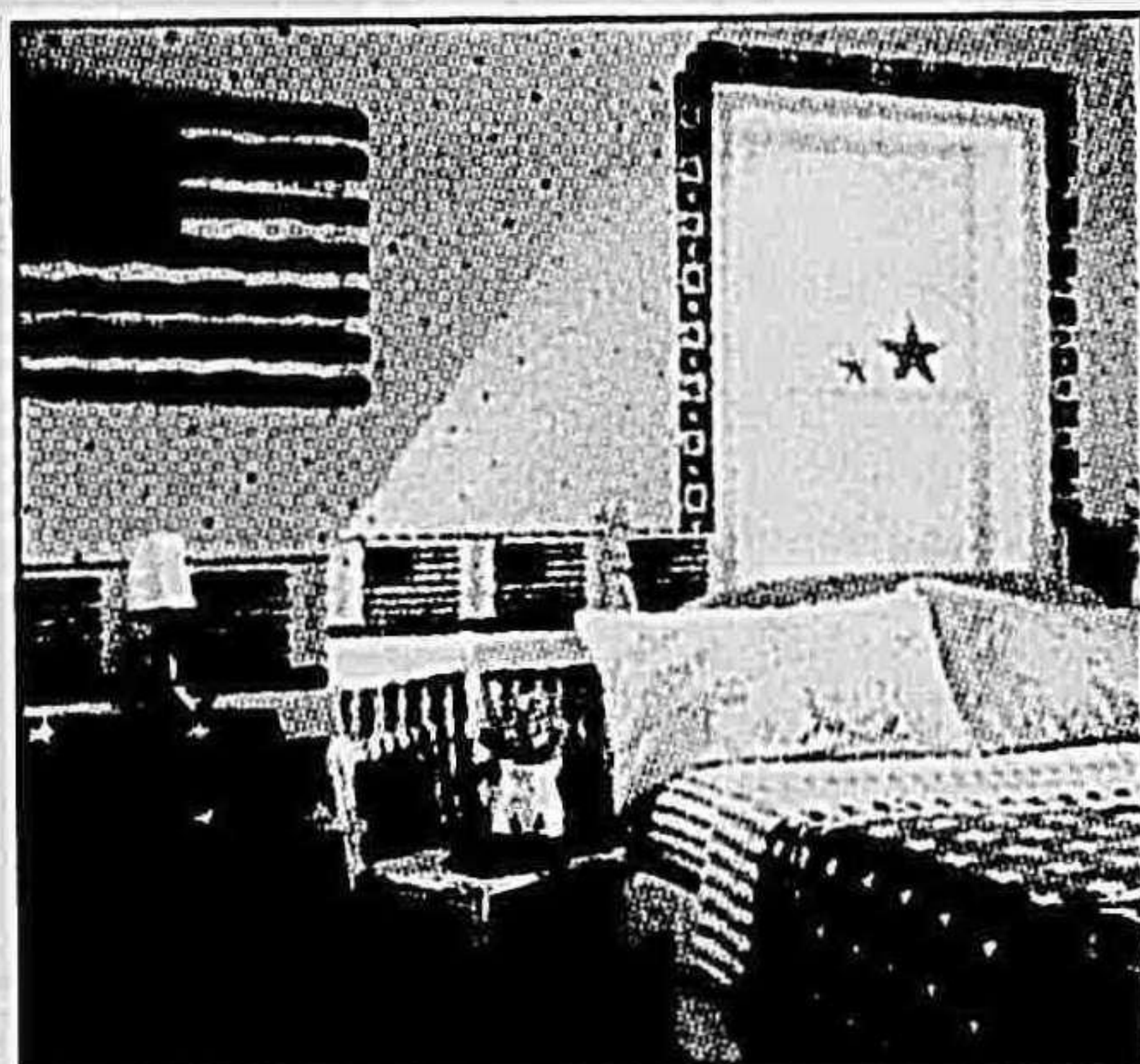
Something as simple as changing a light bulb from bright white to soft pink can make a room feel cozier. Filling in the empty spaces of a bookcase with books and symbols of our country will help to close-in a room. Draping tables, chests and chairs with old shawls or chenille throws depicting our flag will soften the area. Extra cushions with stars and stripes placed around the room, on chairs and even on the floor can add warmth.

Country and folk décor has long used the American flag as a theme. Red, white and blue are a great combination to accessorize a casual, comfortable mid-American home, a beach house with a pale color palette, or even a log cabin with a rustic and darker color range. As primary colors, red, white and blue mix and match with any setting.

Remember to think in threes or thirds. Select three colors -- in this case, red, white and blue -- in tones that work in your home. You should choose a main color, a contrasting color and an accent.

Use the accent color in three places in the room. Choose three patterns, making sure they are in different scales so they don't compete -- for example, a large plaid, a medium star pattern and a small stripe. Keep proportion in mind, using the main print on two-thirds of a large area such as the walls or a sofa, and a secondary, contrasting print on the remaining one-third such as windows or a chair. The accent print should be used in three smaller areas such as cushions, lampshades or window shades. Patterns can be mixed on the same piece of furniture or wall.

Using striped wallpaper with a coordinating border is a classic decorating scheme. But if you are looking for a more casual look, try mixing two patterns on the same wall, again dividing by thirds. Apply one print over two-thirds of the wall and the other print over one-third of the wall. On furniture, upholster a chair or sofa in a stripe and finish with a star back. When

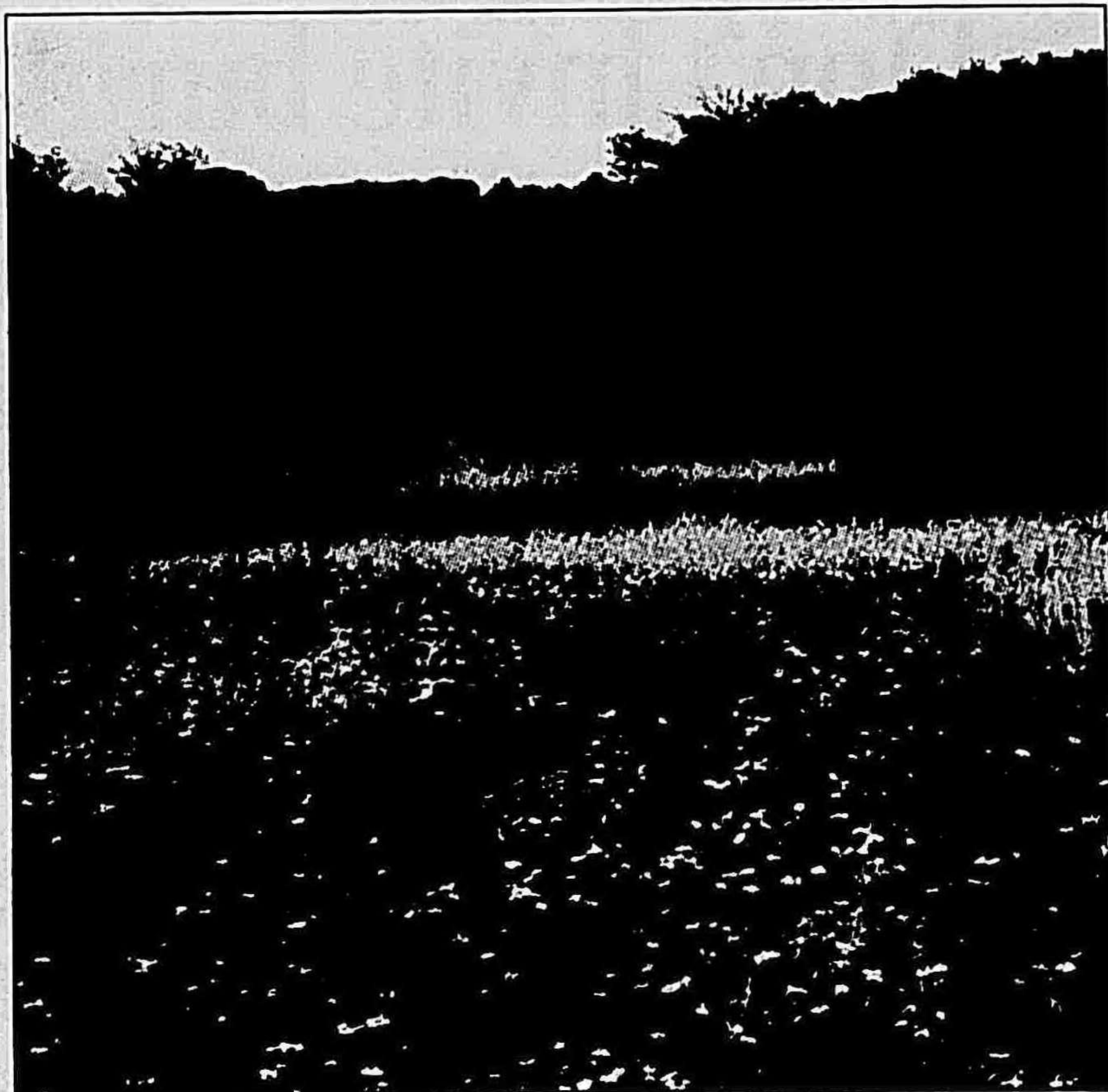
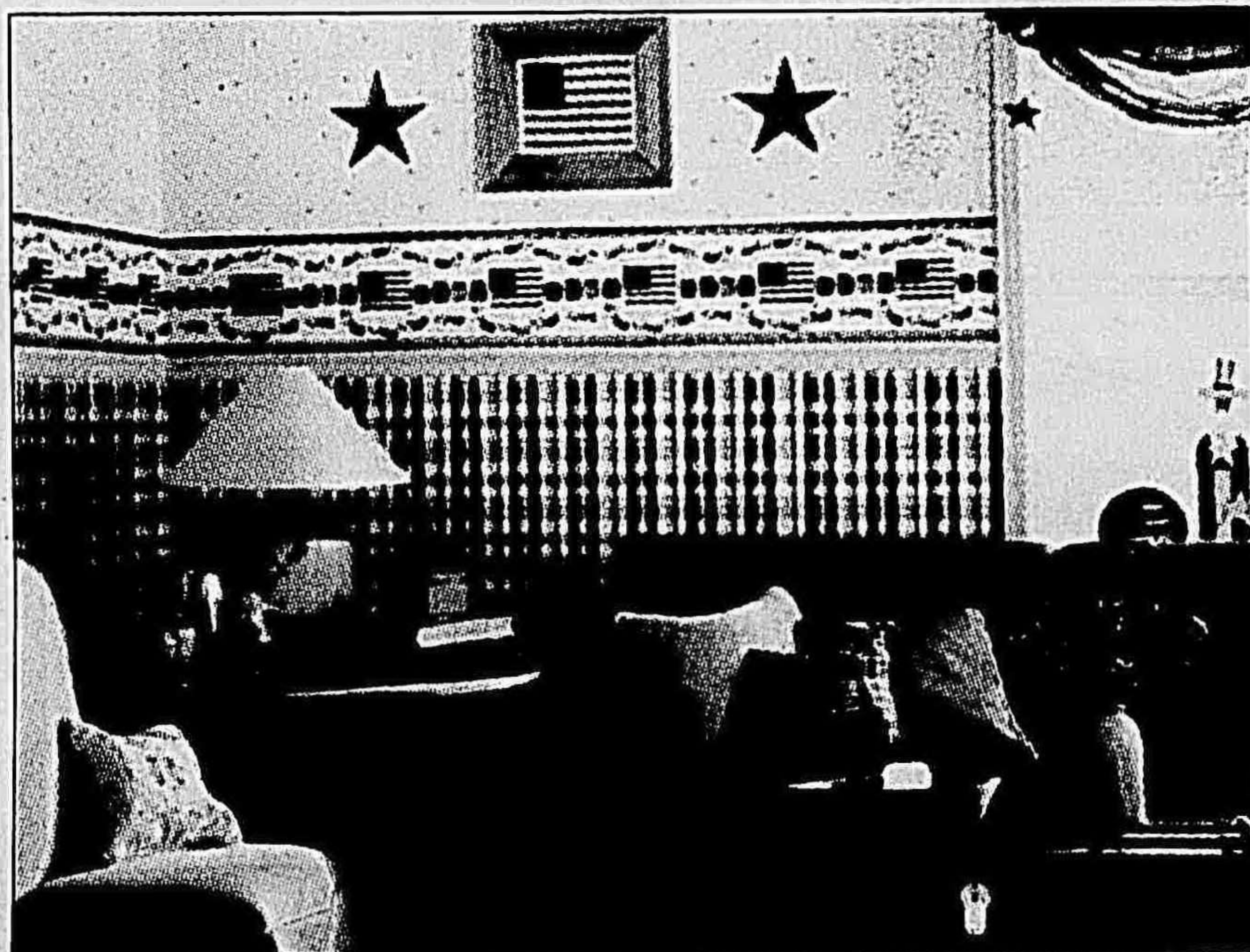


mixing patterns, remember to give the eye a rest by including several solid color fabric and textures.

The news in the coming months will provide plenty of fodder for group gatherings and conversation. Having a comfortable setting for family and guests to discuss world events is important. Good furniture configuration is the basis of all room design, making your rooms both welcoming and functional. Decide if you want an intimate or open setting, and be sure to consider proportions. If the room is square, limit yourself to one conversation area, perhaps around a coffee table. But try angling the sofa or loveseat into a corner, rather than against a wall, or float two love seats opposite one another.

Don't be afraid to use large pieces of furniture in small areas. An oversized buffet or armoire can give the impression of space more effectively than several, small fragile-looking pieces that guests may hesitate to use. Even today's larger-scaled rooms with high ceilings and great floor space can provide intimate settings. If the room is large or rectangular in shape, create two or more conversation areas anchored with rugs. A valuable idea for lowering high ceilings is to paint the ceiling in a dark, warm tone. Hang large, vertical pieces of art or the American flag on walls to add a depth to a room.

Ideas for patriotic decorating will show up in most home decorating magazines and newspapers in the coming months. Some will be elaborate and difficult for the average homeowner to execute. Hanging a wall border, however, can be done in an hour. If you decide to hang wallcovering, remember to prime the wall first for easy installation and removal later.



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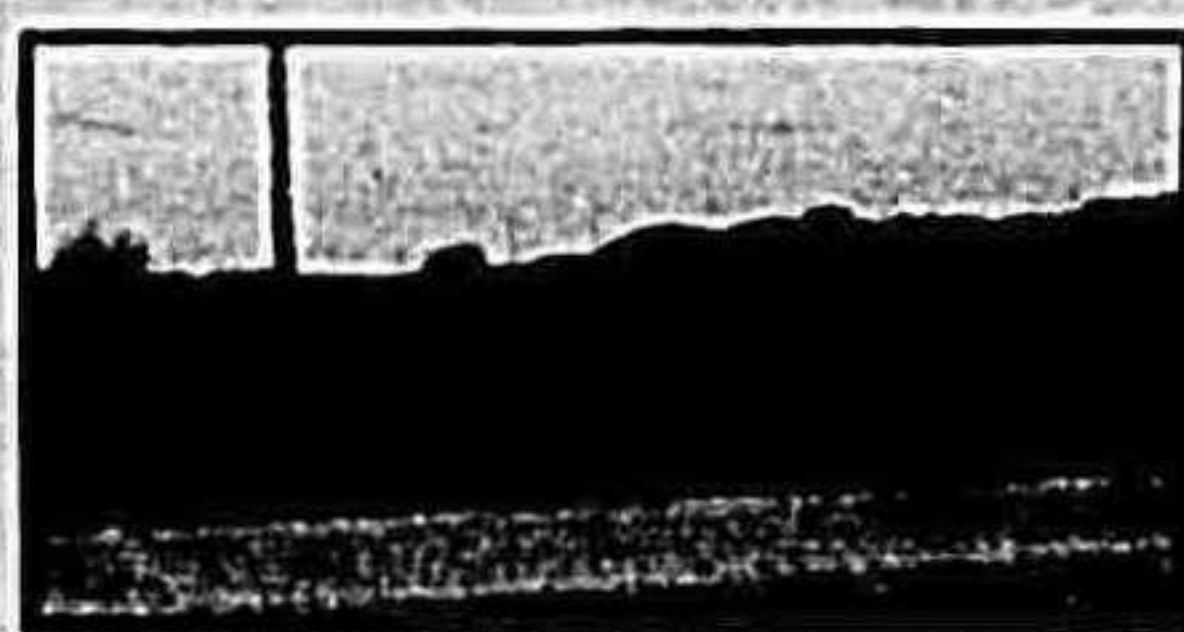
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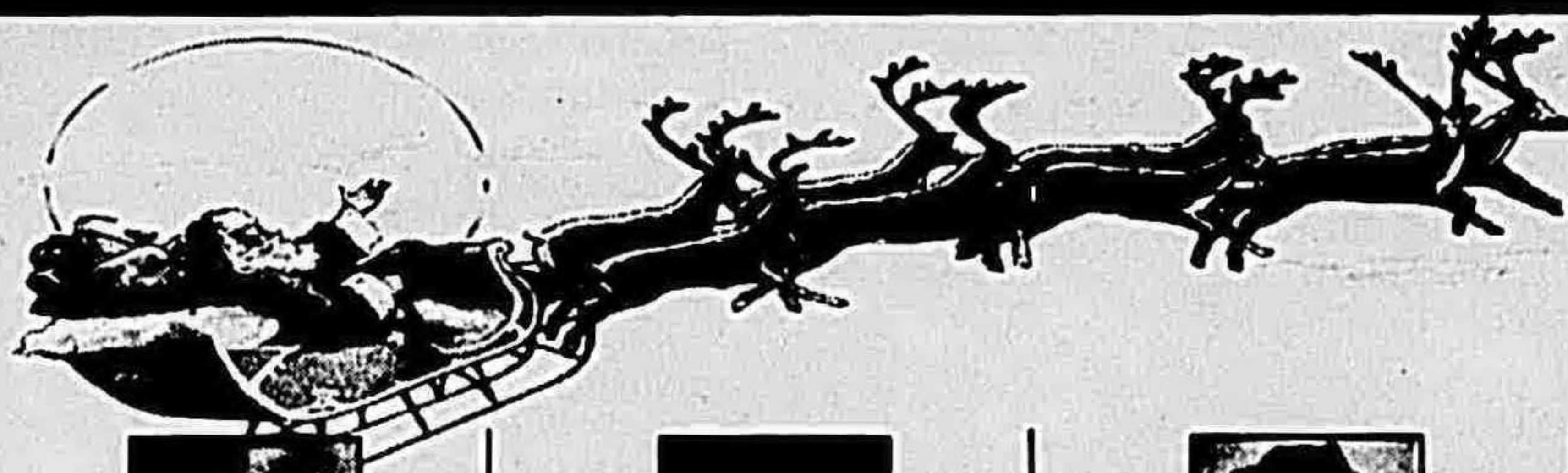
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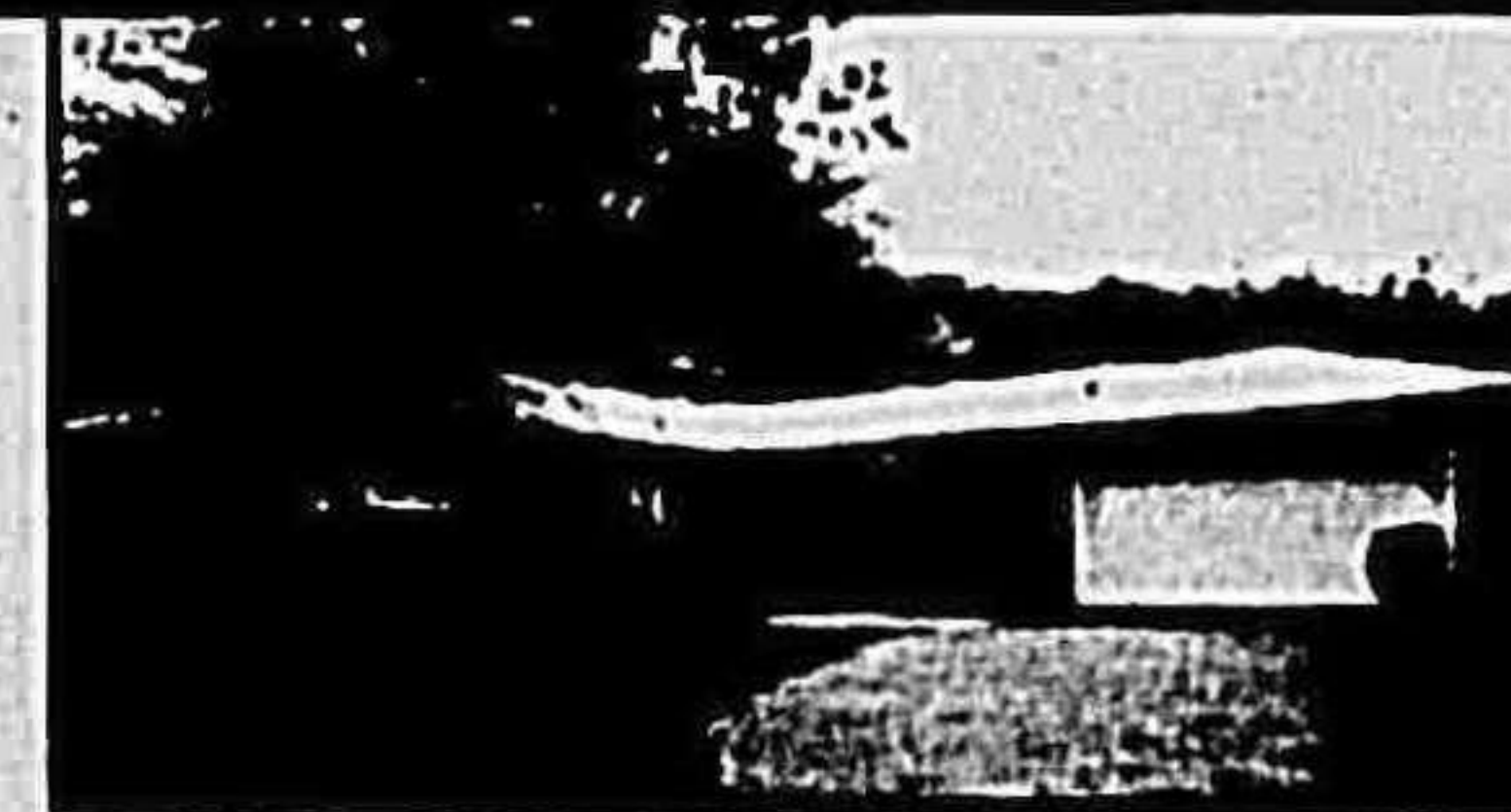
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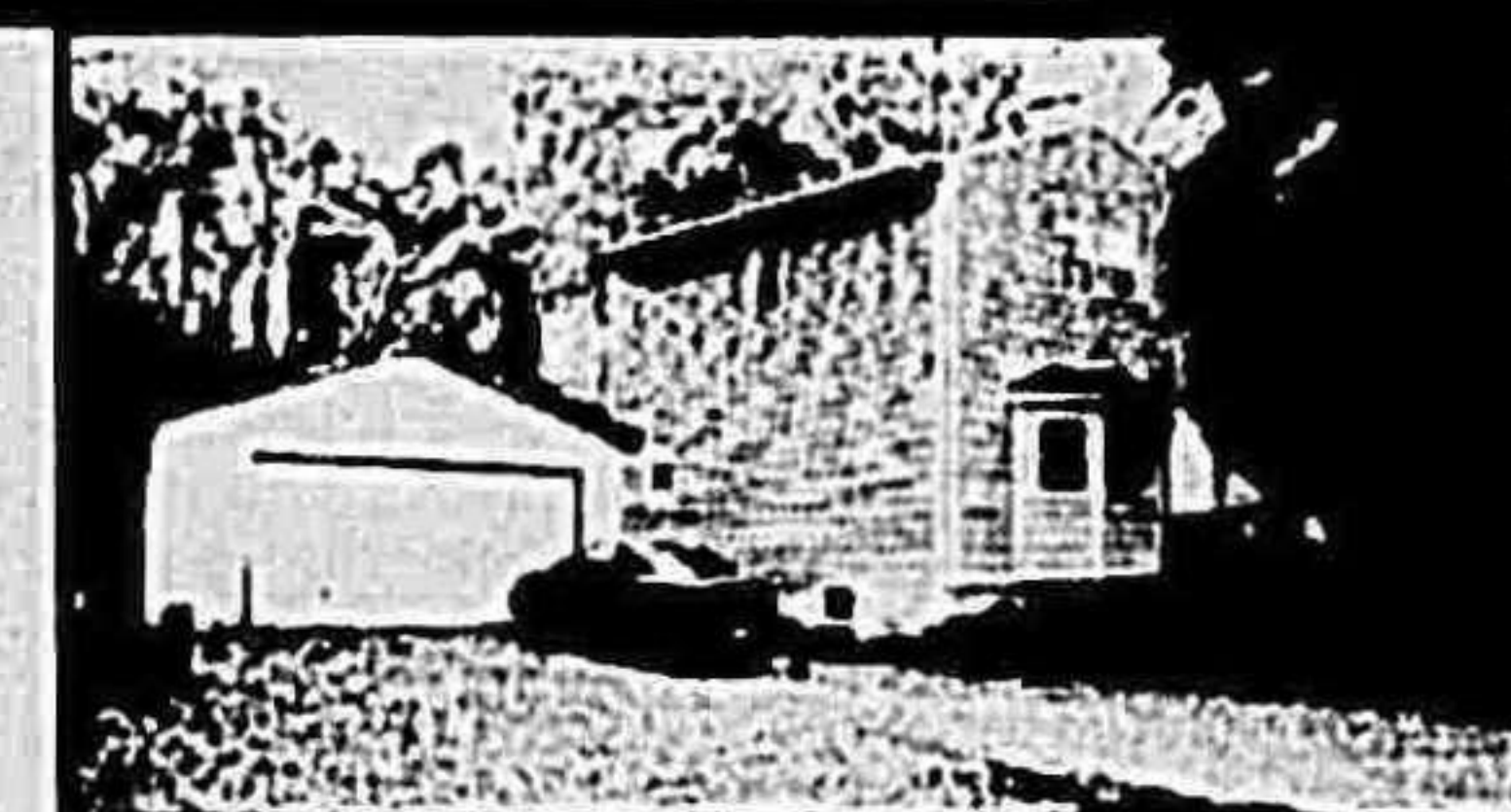
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Two new models now open at Valley Lakes

Two newly completed and professionally decorated model homes are now open for viewing at Ancient Oaks, a neighborhood of luxury single-family homes within the master-planned Valley Lakes, Round Lake.

Part of the 865 acre master-planned Valley Lakes community, Ancient Oaks is an exceptionally appealing neighborhood featuring some of the community's best homesites. The developer recently released a new phase ideally situated near park area and open space providing the perfect setting for the large family homes being built there.

Buyers may select from floor plans ranging in size from 1,924-2,849 square feet and priced starting from \$219,990-\$254,990. The two-story homes feature at least four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, attached two-or three-car garages and 3/4 basements. Buyers may expand the already large designs with such options as full basements, extended front porches, morning rooms, four-season rooms, additional bedrooms and extra baths.

Features included in all of the homes at Ancient Oaks are plush wall-to-wall carpeting; nine-foot, first-floor ceilings; decorator light fixtures; wood railings (per plan); maintenance-free vinyl siding;

fully-sodded front and side yards and a variety of energy-saving features including energy-efficient furnaces and water heaters.

Kitchens are appointed with custom-finished wood cabinets, white cast-iron double-bowl sinks, built-in dishwashers and disposals. Baths include custom-finished vanities with cultured-marble tops, ceramic tile surrounds in tubs and showers and oversized mirrors. Additionally, more than 200 optional amenities are available at Ancient Oaks including fireplaces, cook top kitchen islands, decorator ceilings, bay windows and other architectural accents.



Ancient Oaks in Valley Lakes, Round Lake, is planned for every part of the 865-acre development. There are seven two-story plans with base prices ranging from \$219,990-\$254,990.

Do trees a favor: keep watering

Now that most of the leaves are raked up, many homeowners assume there's no reason to think about their trees, at least until it's time for some winter pruning. But trees need care year-round. Fall and early winter are an important time to water them.

Although the leaves are off deciduous trees, their root systems remain active until the soil freezes. In the Lakeland area, that usually happens around early December. Watering your trees before they become dormant helps protect them from becoming stressed. And just as with people, stress can make trees more susceptible to disease. Watering is an important part of their preventive tree care.

"People assume that once the leaves are off the trees, they're dormant," says Joe Engberg, a certified arborist, and field safety and training manager for Hendricksen the Care of Trees. "But that's not the case. Their root systems take up moisture until it's too cold to do so."

Engberg explains that trees should receive about an inch of rainfall a week. If it hasn't rained in more than a week, and the ground isn't frozen, it may be time to water. How do you know if the ground is frozen? Try to turn it with a trowel. If you can, the soil isn't frozen yet. If it's damp, it isn't yet time to water.

The best way to water a large deciduous tree is to set up a sprinkler about half-way between the trunk and the farthest branches. Because of the cooler weather, set the water pressure low, so that the water is distributed over the soil but does not come in contact with the trunk, branches or leaves. Place small cans in the area. When the water that collects in it measures about an inch deep, move the sprinkler to another section under the tree. After the entire area under the branches is watered, move the sprinkler out from under the

branches. Trees' extensive root systems reach even beyond their branches, or canopy, so it is important to try to water that part of the root zone as well.

After you've dutifully watered your trees through fall and early winter, don't store the hose too far away. You may need to water your evergreen trees during a brief thaw. "Our midwestern winters almost always include a couple breaks of unseasonably warm, sunny weather, which tricks trees into coming out of dormancy," says Engberg. "Because they keep their needles—which are actually leaves—all winter, evergreens respond to the warmth by transpiring through their leaves, which releases moisture into the air. If there is no soil moisture available for the roots to supply more water to the leaves, the leaves may experience winter burn."

You can protect evergreen trees and shrubs by watering warm spells in winter. As long as the temperature is above freezing and the soil is not rock solid, you can water. Position a hose about half-way between the trunk of the tree and the farthest reach of the branches to get the most water to the roots. Let the water trickle into the soil until the soil is damp but not saturated. Move the hose to other spots around the tree to cover as much of the root system as possible.

Be careful when you water if de-icing salts have been applied near your tree. Salt is harmful to trees because it draws moisture out of their roots and leaves. If salt is on the soil near a tree that you water, instead of protecting the tree, watering will deliver harmful salt directly to tree roots. Scrape the salt away before you water. Avoid applying salt or shoveling salt-laden snow near trees, even if you do not plan to water. Use sand or calcium chloride instead of salt.

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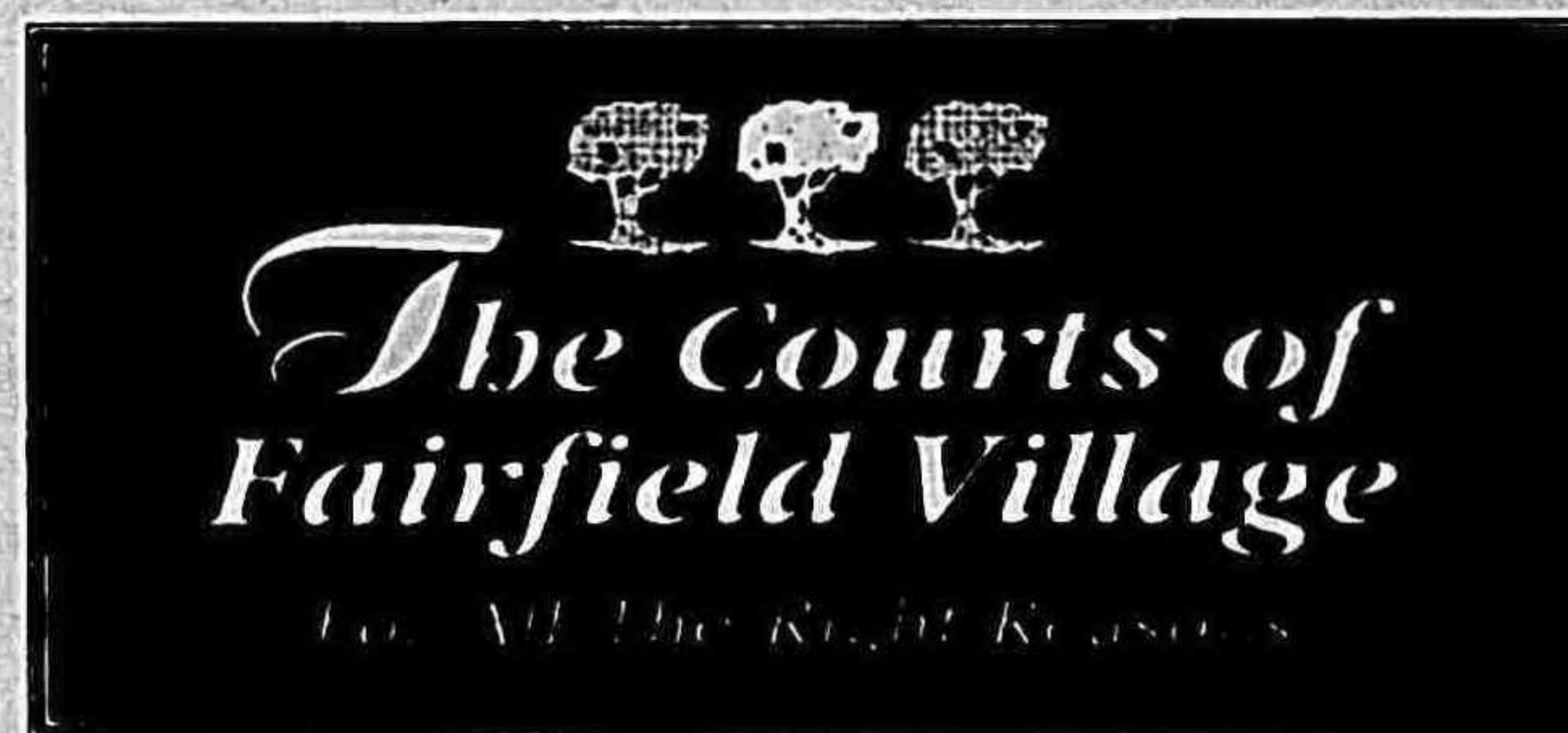
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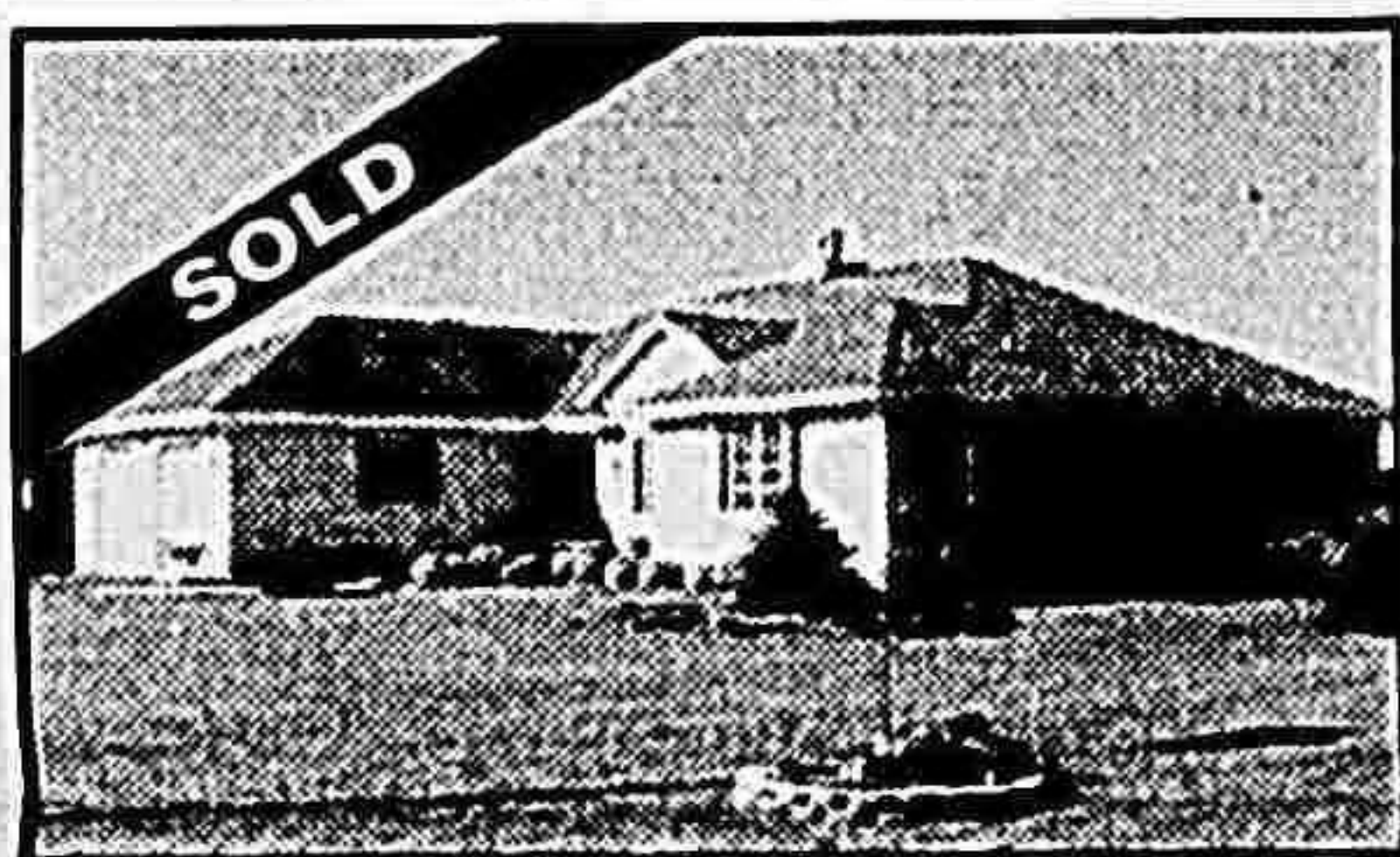
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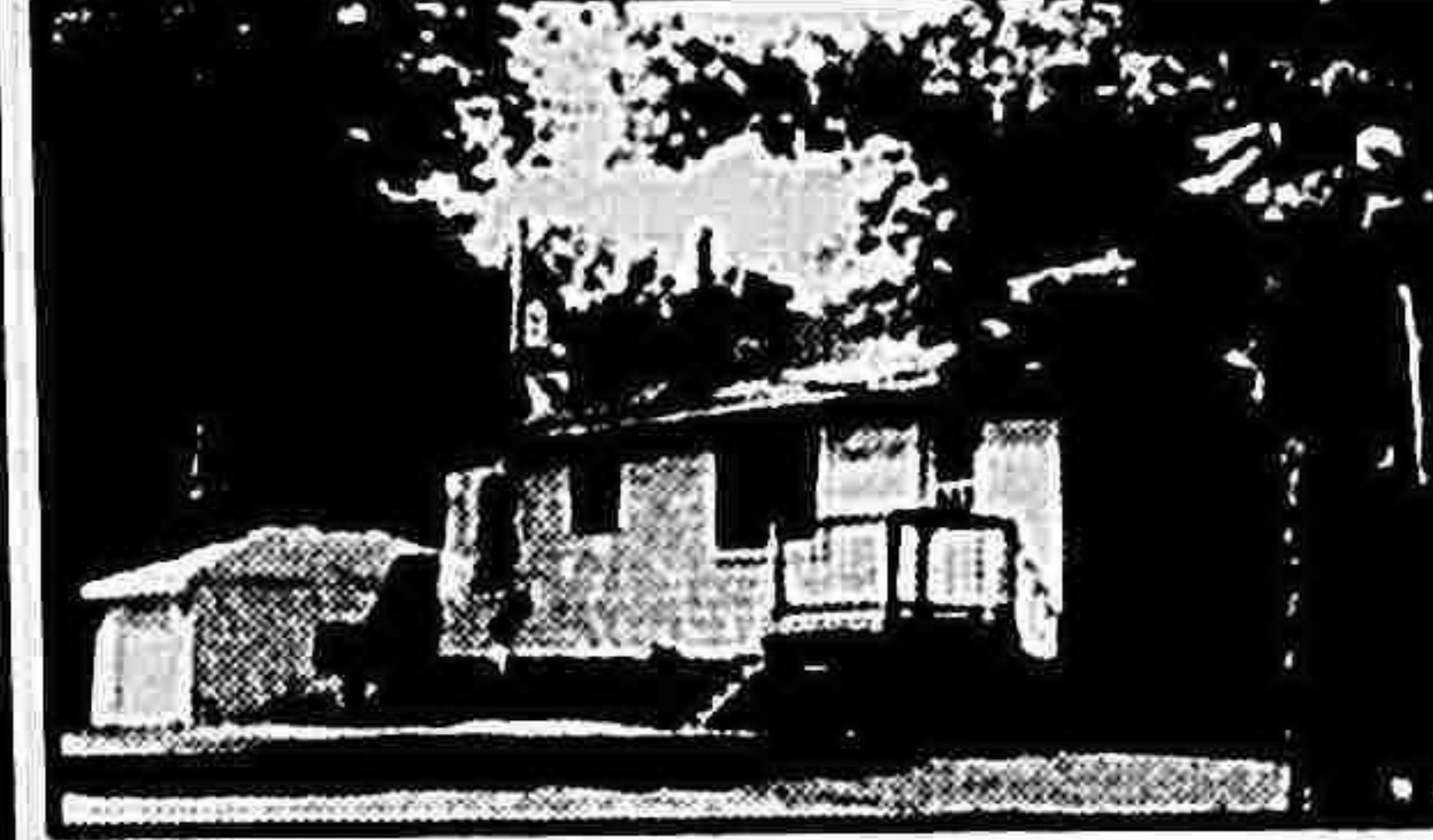
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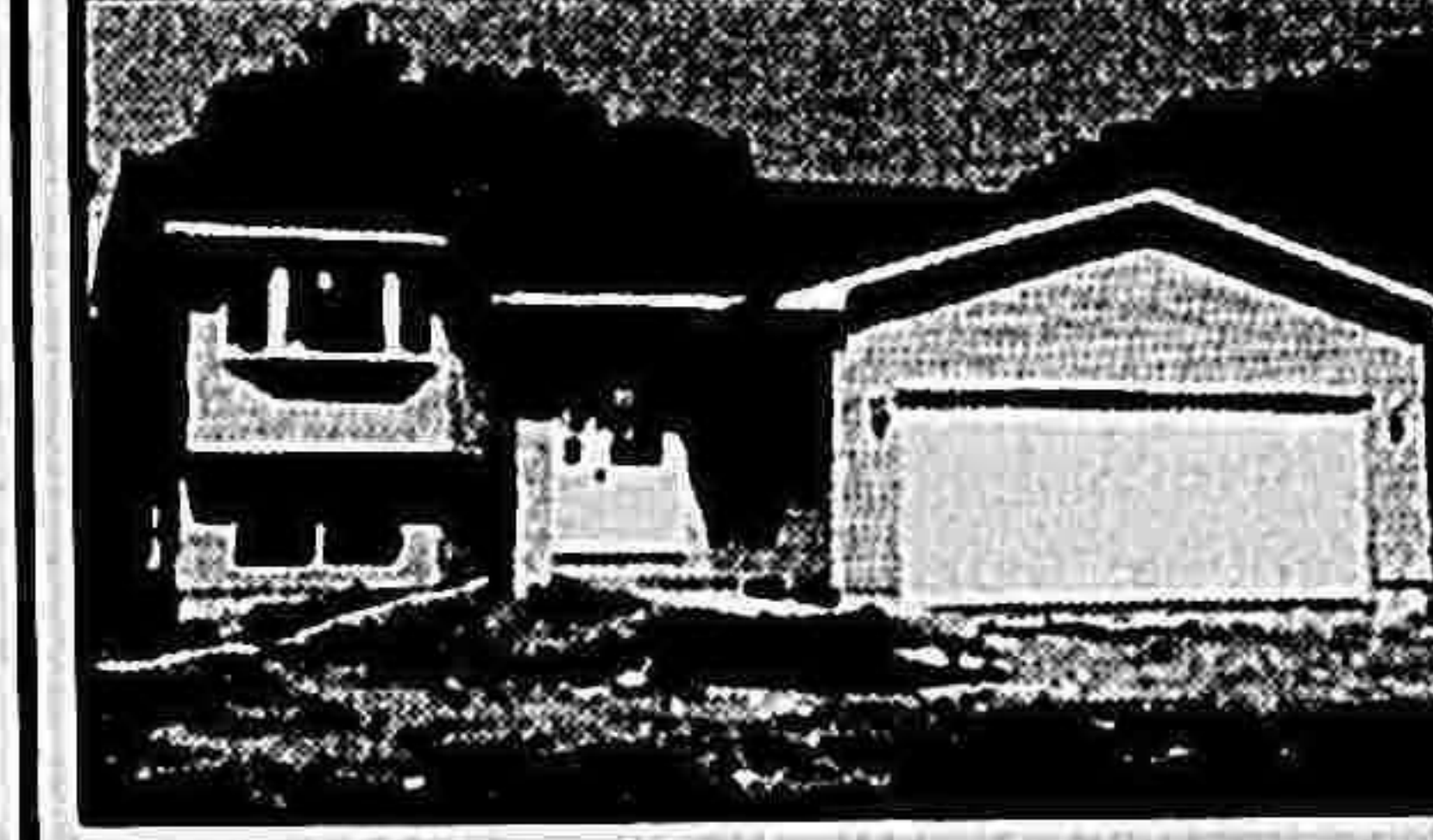
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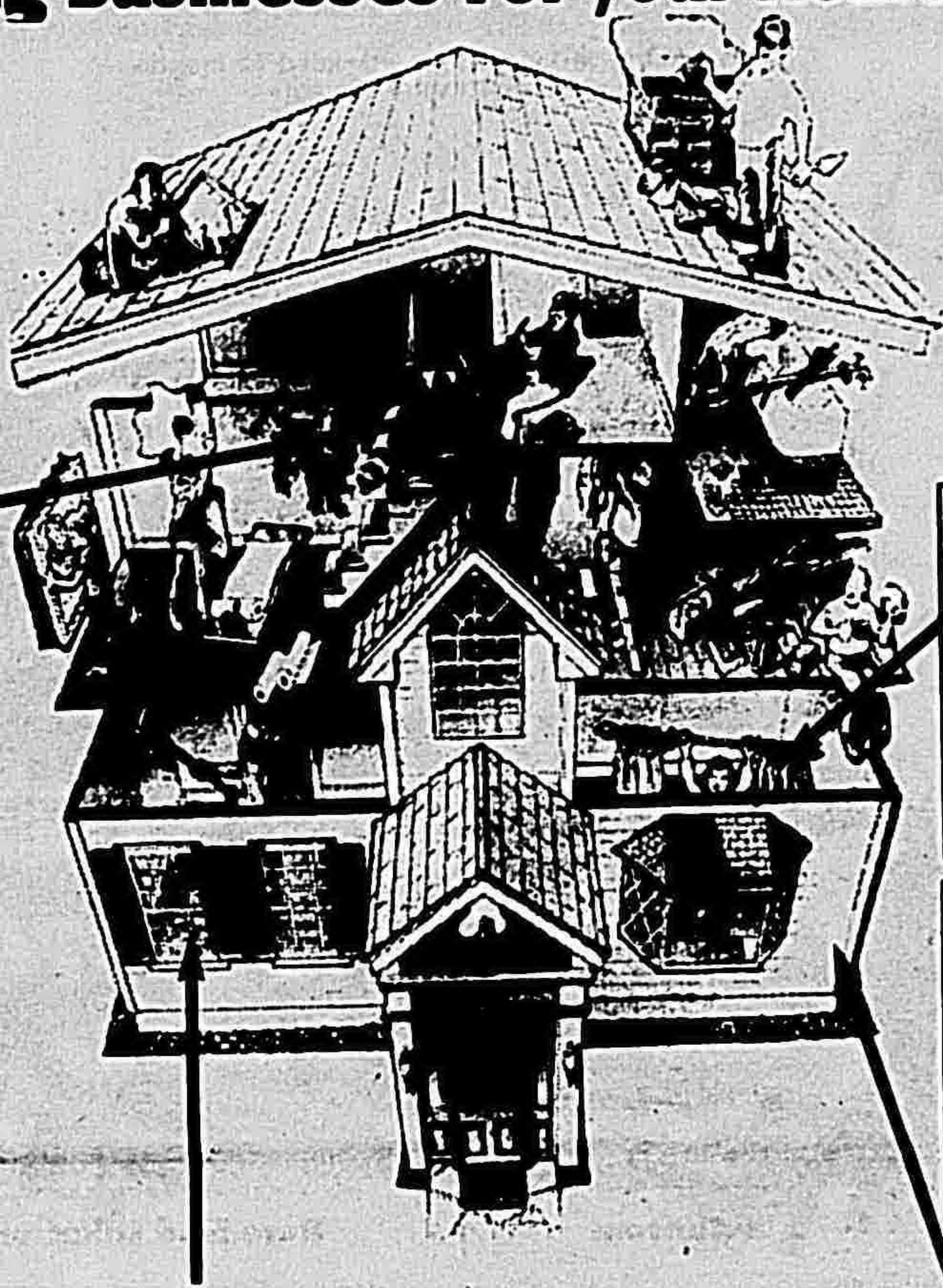
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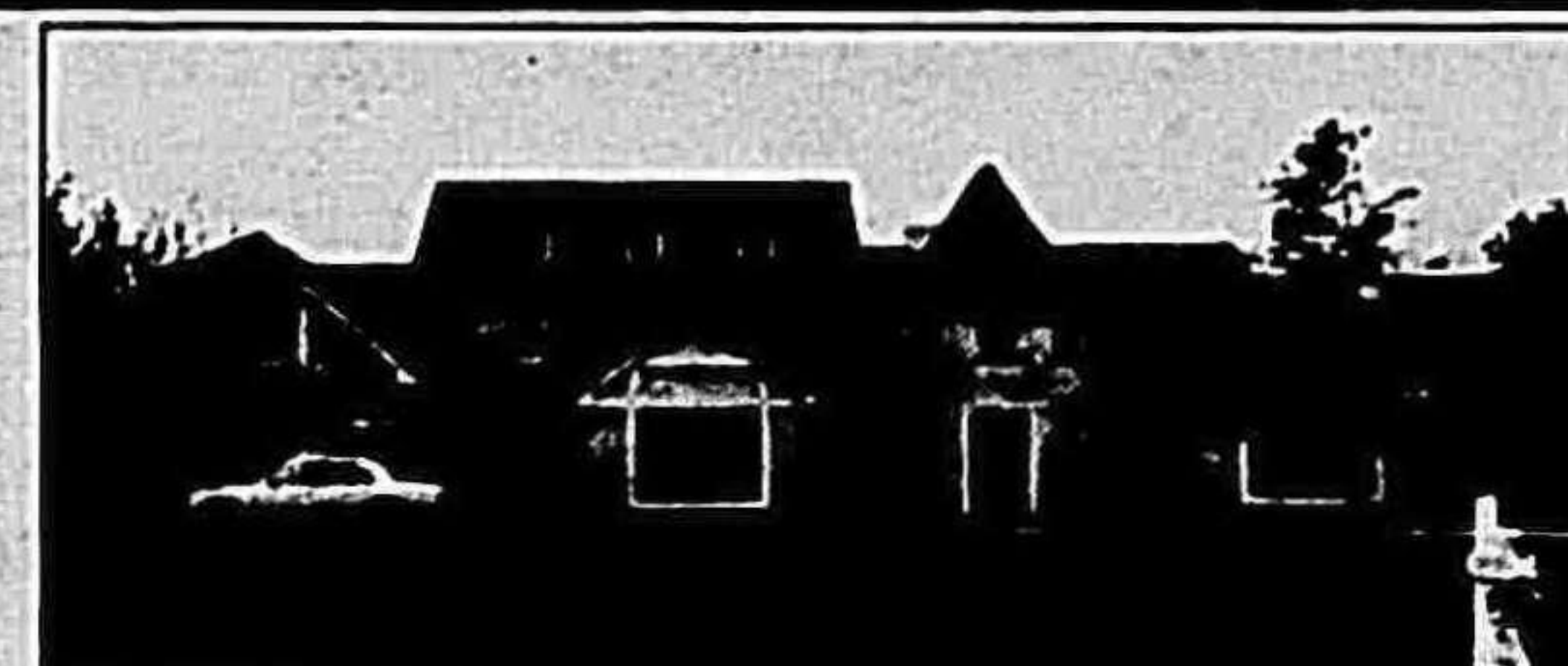
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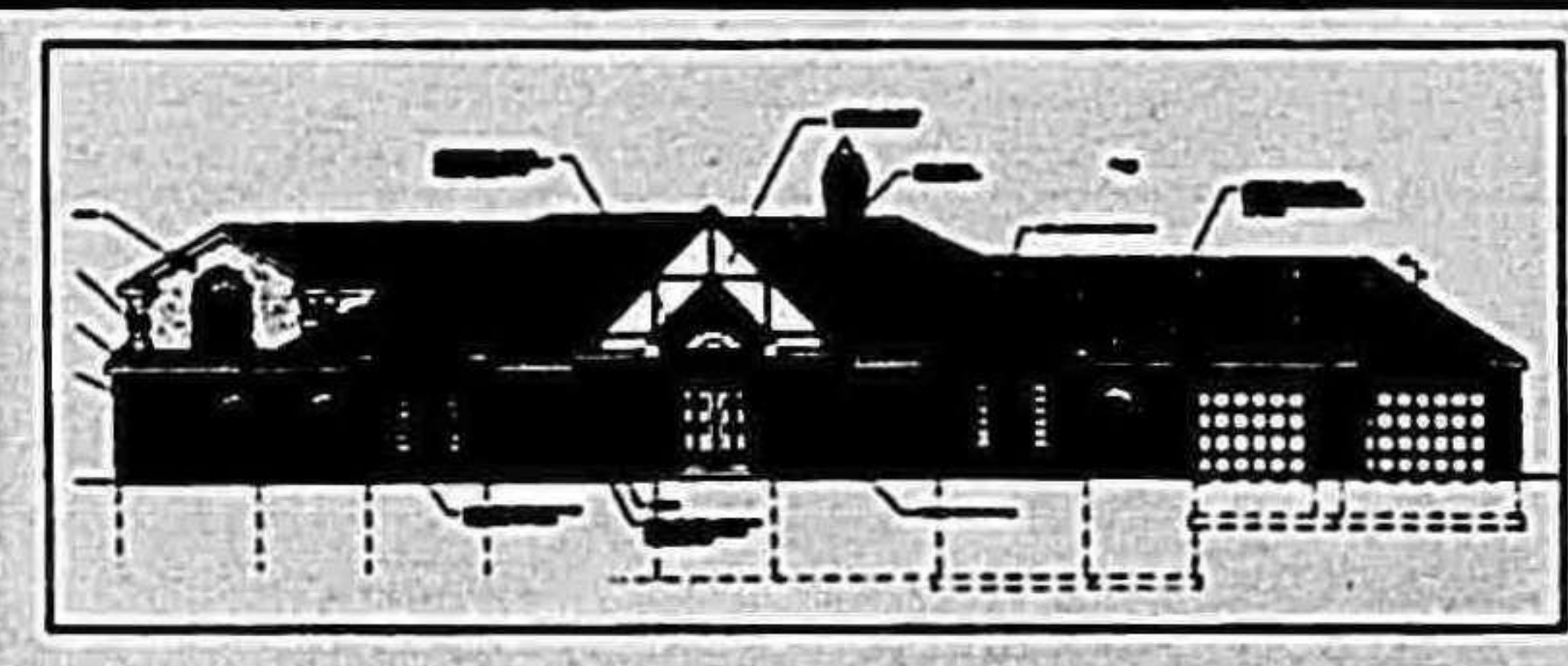
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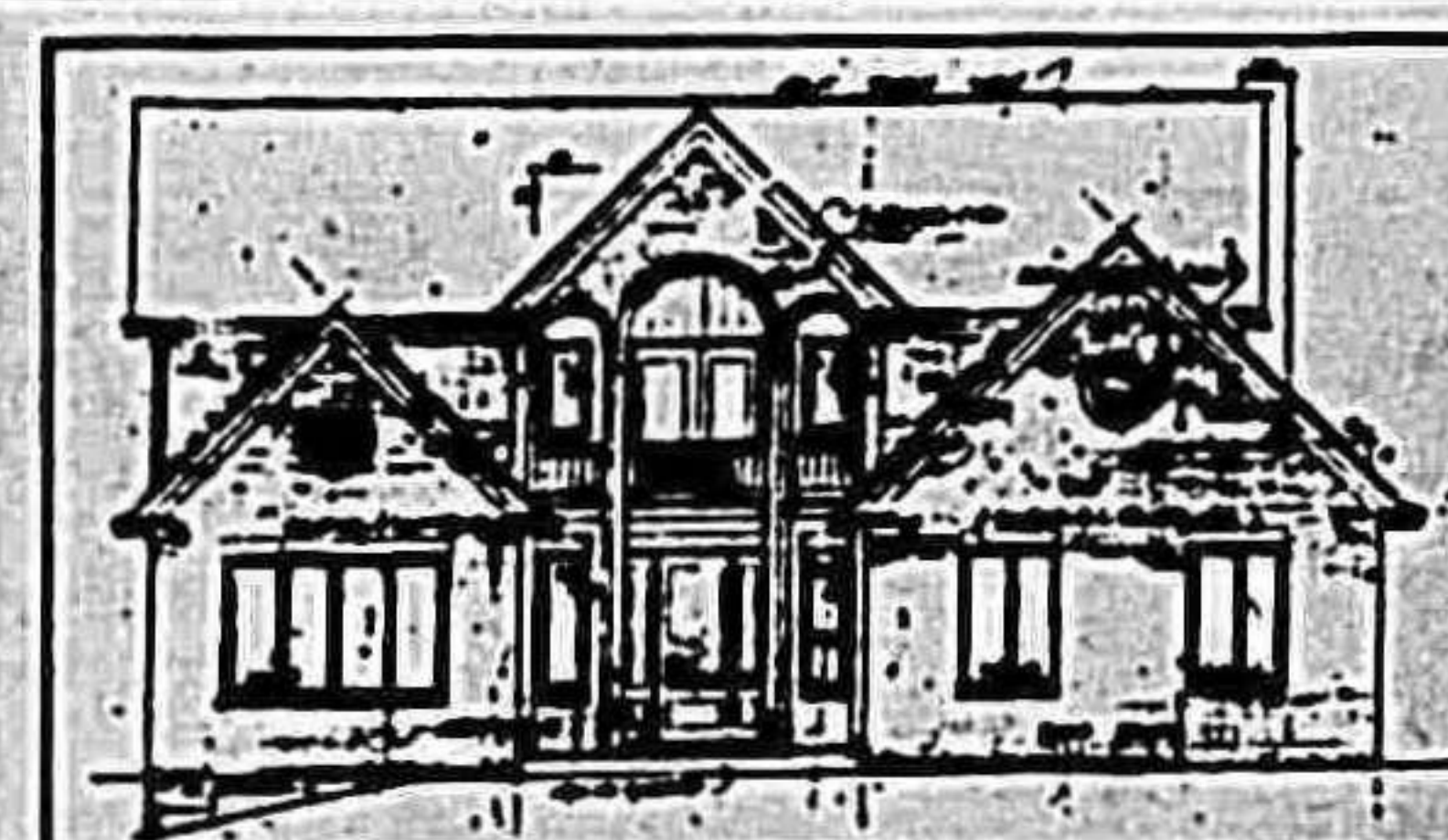
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Handsome 4 bedroom home in Wadsworth's beautiful Jonathan Knolls across from park. 2-story fam room w/fireplace. Hardwood floors. 9 ft ceilings 1st floor. Master bedroom w/trayed ceiling, his/her walk-ins, whirlpool. Architectural pillars define living rm & din rm. \$439,000.

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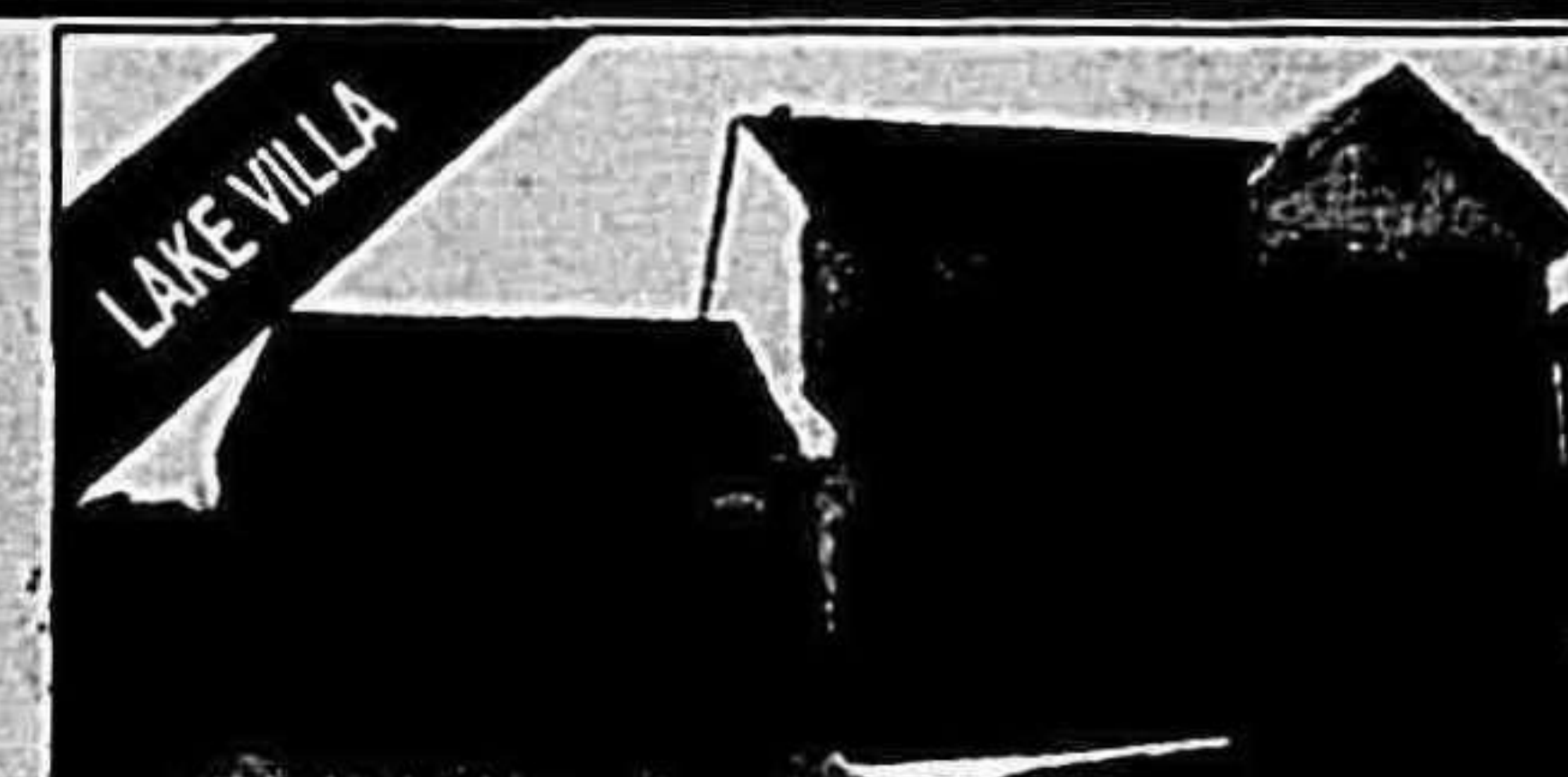
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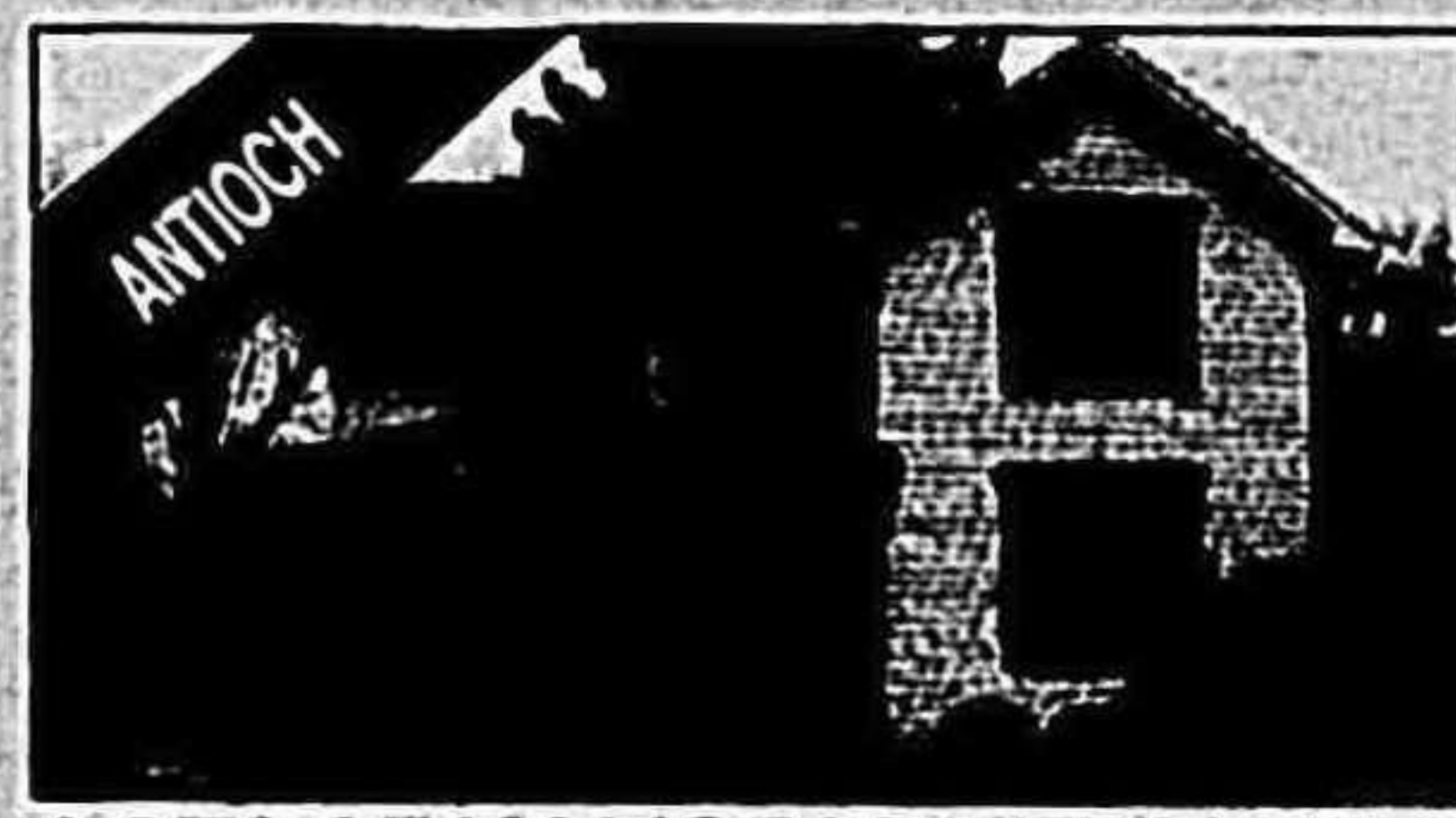
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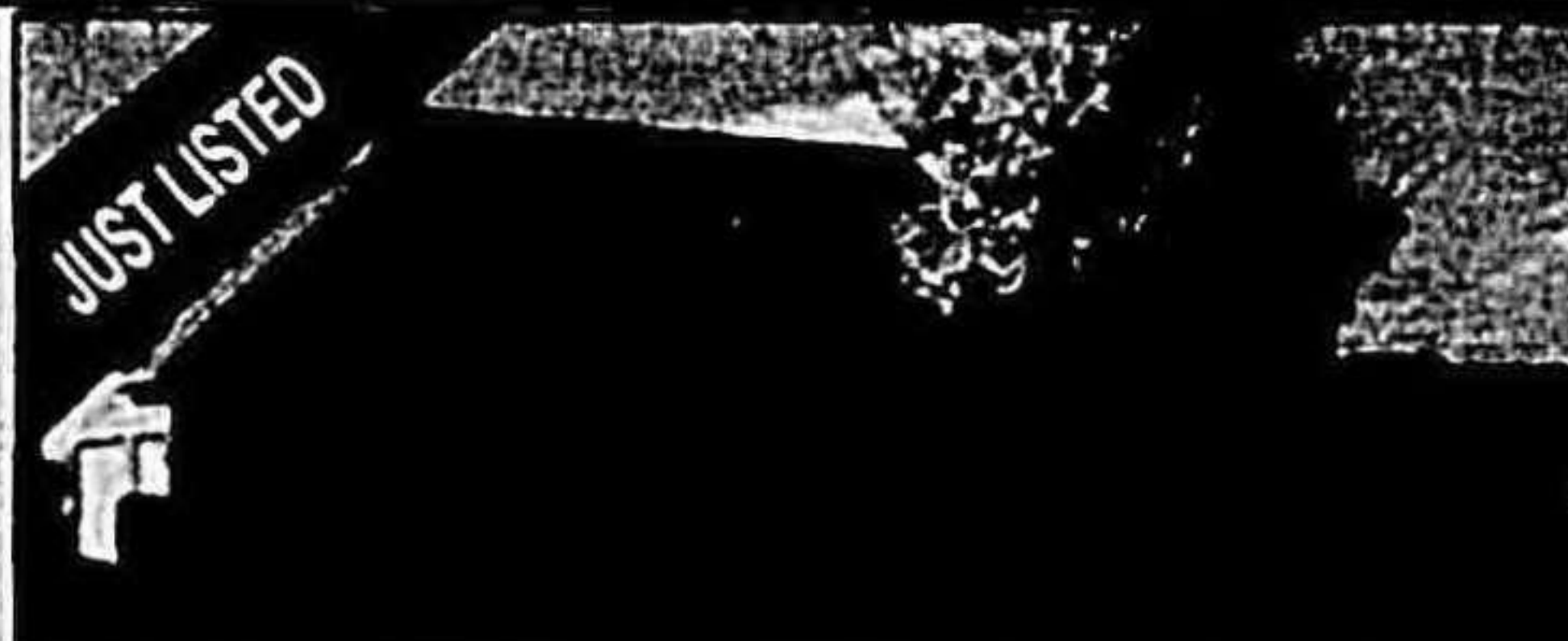
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